

Weather

Warmer and windy Friday night; cold with snow flurries Saturday.

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SEVENTH ARMY SMASHES INTO GERMANY

Churchill Calls for Parley of Big Three

U. S. STAND ON POLISH PEACE TERMS SOUGHT

Commons Told Russia Should Have Right To Expand To West

DISAGREEMENT DENIED

Prime Minister Warns That Another War Would Crush Civilization

LONDON, Dec. 15—Prime Minister Winston Churchill today urged a meeting of the chief executives of Britain, the United States and Russia at the earliest possible moment.

The premier's pronouncement was made in the course of debate in the house of commons on the Russo-Polish post-war border problem.

Churchill, although declaring that he "should welcome above all a meeting in this island" with President Roosevelt and Premier Joseph Stalin, said that he and Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden are ready to proceed to any place at any time and under any conditions.

In his review of Russo-Polish negotiations which Britain has fostered, Churchill criticized the construction of the present Polish government in London and praised the efforts of Premier Stanislaw Mikolajczyk to reach a settlement with the Kremlin.

Backs Red Demands

Churchill urged the Polish cabinet in London to make every effort to accept Soviet terms. The Prime Minister said that Britain supported the Russian view that the Soviets should have a right to expand to the west to the former Curzon line with the Poles also expanding to the west at the expense of Germany.

Churchill said it was the British view that the Russians "justly and rightly claim the eastern frontier (Continued on Page Three)

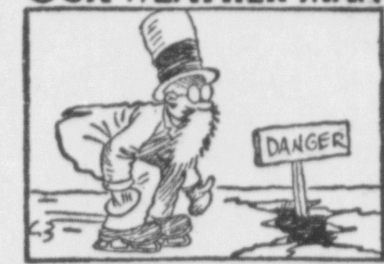
WAR PLANTS HIT AS DADS GIVE DIAPER SERVICE

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Here's the latest angle to the critical war-plants labor shortage — fathers of new-born babies reportedly are deserting war jobs to stay home and wash baby diapers!

The current shortage of three-cornered pants and the fact that overtaxed diaper service companies are turning down all applications by would-be new customers is blamed.

These revelations came in a report by Edward Sturgis of Brookline, Mass., president of the National Institute of Diaper Service. Sturgis declared a survey shows the problem to be nationwide, as institute members prepared to hold an emergency meeting on the subject today in New York.

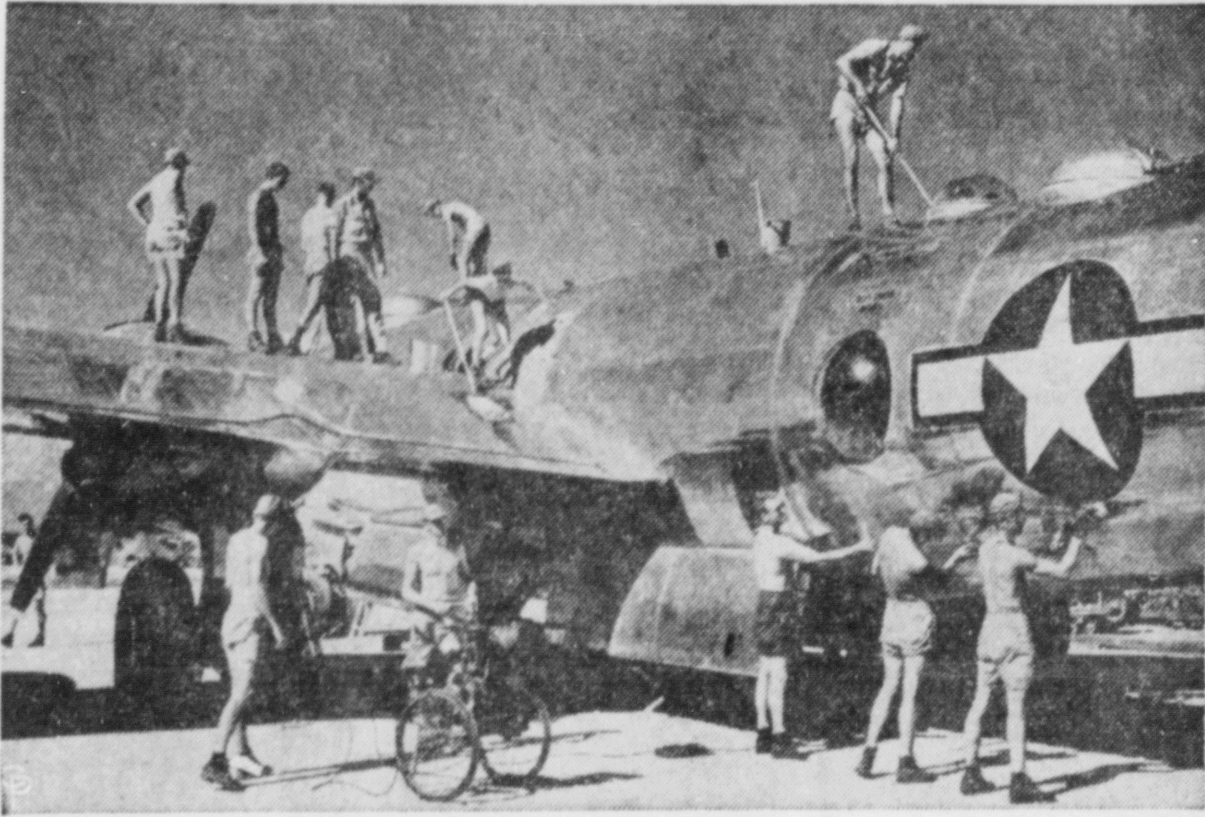
OUR WEATHER MAN



LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

High Thursday, 23. Year Ago, 22. Low Friday, 13. Year Ago, 11. River Stage, 2.19. Sun rises 7:46 a. m.; sets 5:07 p. m. Moon rises 6:37 a. m.; sets 4:41 p. m. TEMPERATURES ELSEWHERE High Low Akron, O., 25 17 Atlanta, Ga., 35 25 Bismarck, N. Dak., 42 23 Buffalo, N. Y., 27 21 Burbank, Calif., 65 44 Chicago, Ill., 22 6 Cincinnati, O., 32 24 Cleveland, O., 26 19 Dayton, O., 25 18 Denver, Colo., 33 26 Detroit, Mich., 28 14 Duluth, Minn., 33 13 Fort Worth, Tex., 63 32 Huntington, W. Va., 36 20 Indianapolis, Ind., 24 9 Kansas City, Mo., 40 13 Louisville, Ky., 50 22 Miami, Fla., 64 53 Minn.-St. Paul, Minn., 36 15 New Orleans, La., 45 35

A SUPERFORTRESS GETS A BEAUTY TREATMENT



GROUND AND AIR CREWS at the Salpan air base pitch in to put a shine on the biggest flying nose in the world—that of a B-29 Superfortress. Thanks to salt ocean winds, Saipan coral and sub-stratosphere flying, crew members are kept busy giving the Tokyo-bombers beauty treatments. Army Air Force photo. (International)

B-29'S RETURN, TOKYO REPORTS

"Hardly Any Damage" Done By Lone Planes, Says Enemy Radio

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—A report that United States Superfortresses bombers again dropped incendiary bombs on the "Tokyo vicinity" today was broadcast by the Tokyo radio.

A group of three Superfortresses attacked about 3:30 a. m. Jap time and then a single B-29 struck at 6 a. m., according to the broadcast recorded by FCC.

"There was hardly any damage sustained by our side," the Nip transmitter claimed.

Flights by other "Lone B-29's" over two other areas of Japan, including the Hanshin (Osaka-Kobe) district, also were reported.

A Domei Agency dispatch said meanwhile that the Jap house of representatives will work fast on legislative bills during the 56th extraordinary session of the diet opening December 24 because the diet "faces the possibility of undergoing air raids."

Radio Tokyo December 10 had asserted that "full precautions have been taken to enable the diet to remain unwaveringly in session regardless of whatever situation might arise from intensified enemy air raids."

LONDON, Dec. 15—The Philippines capital of Manila and other areas on the island of Luzon were blasted in the newest attack by United States carrier-based planes, the Jap Domei Agency said today.

The Allied task force, first to appear east of the Philippines since late last month, raided Manila, Legaspi, Baguio and Lipa yesterday morning, Tokyo said.

"Manila was attacked by some 90 raiders," Domei said.

Some of the points attacked were raided in the afternoon, Domei added.

STORY SO FUNNY IT SENDS HER TO HOSPITAL

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—It was an excruciatingly funny story that was responsible for Mrs. Helen Sugarman, 35, being laid up in American hospital today, but she hoped to be out within the next 24 hours.

IGNORANCE OF JAP SOLDIERS AMAZES YANKS

HEADQUARTERS, 41ST INFANTRY DIVISION, SOUTH-WEST PACIFIC, Dec. 6 — (Delayed) — The average Jap's completely confused sense of geography, and his total ignorance of what's going on in the world, are little short of amazing to GIs in this outfit that has been overseas for 33 months.

A security patrol of the 41st, engaged in ferreting out survivors of an assault on a well-defended Pacific island, picked up a Jap who evidently skipped geography classes during his school days. His commanding officer, he told him that he was in the state of Florida.

The short boat ride to the island did not mean a thing to this son of Nippon. Neither did the complete lack of oranges, swank hotels and bathing beauties. He had been told by his commanding officer he was in Florida and no one could tell him anything different.

During his questioning he said he and his unit were dissatisfied with Florida — apparently no oranges were to be had by Nippon's soldiers—and all in all, the place did not appear to be worth a great deal, from any standpoint, and his superior officers were not too upset about being unable to hold it.

STRIKING NAZIS PUT ON BREAD AND WATER DIET

FORT SHERIDAN, Ill., Dec. 15 — The 1,300 striking Nazi prisoners of war at Fort Sheridan not only will have to subsist on their meager bread and water diet over Christmas and New Year's but well into 1945 if they do not return to their appointed tasks.

This was the word today from Fort Sheridan military authorities as the prisoners, some of them from Gen. Rommel's celebrated Afrika Korps, continued in their sullen silence and idleness.

Maj. E. R. Schuelke, commander of the prisoners of war camp, said that the Nazis, who called their strike last Monday, may be given a total of 84 days in six 14-day instalments under the Geneva convention articles.

The present 14-day sentence will include the Christmas holidays. An Army spokesman explained the situation thus:

"This is a flat 14-day sentence, and presumably will continue for that time, no matter what they (the prisoners) decide.

"At the end of 14 days, they will be given one full day's rations. If they are ready to go back to work, all right. But if they are not and continue in their insubordination, the bread and water diet will be resumed for another 14 days."

This could be continued until the prisoners had served 84 days. What could or would happen after this was not disclosed.

The men struck and refused to work after authorities had removed one of their fellow prisoners as group leader.

LOCAL WAR BOND GOAL IN SIGHT

Heavy Buying During Week End Will Bring Success To Drive

Pickaway county was within sight of the Sixth War Loan quota Friday, the day before the campaign was scheduled to end.

Exact figures on sales to date were unavailable because mail has been delayed by bad weather, but totals through Tuesday showed sales of \$1,017,000. This is \$269,000 short of the \$1,286,000 goal.

The individual total is still considerably short of the quota of \$520,000, while the corporation goal is expected to be exceeded over the weekend. Individual sales through Tuesday totaled \$364,500 and corporation sales \$652,500.

Perry township and New Holland have exceeded their quota, County Chairman Clark will announce Friday. The quota was \$32,760 and sales through Thursday totaled \$37,825.

Several purchases by local firms have been reported by the special prospects committee. Italy's store has purchased \$1,000 in bonds; A & P store, \$1,000; W. T. Grant company, \$5,000; J. C. Penney company, \$5,000 and G. C. Murphy company, \$2,000. The War Finance company has been advised by the Ohio Bell Telephone company that the company has allocated \$10,000 of its purchase of 7/8 per cent certificates of indebtedness to Pickaway county.

Mr. Will said Friday that the local drive could go over the top over the weekend if all solicitors would finish their contacts. He urged all who intend to give bonds as Christmas presents to purchase them at once to help the local committee to meet its quota.

SLEUTH AGENCY GETS ITS MAN, BUT ONE OF OWN

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—The Joyce detective agency got its man again today.

It seems that a bit of embezzling had been going on in a company's office, amounting to \$6,300 over a period of two years.

Thomas A. Pratt, 45, was arrested and confessed he had been writing checks against the company's account and using the money to play the horses and for other diversions, the state's attorney's office said.

The company suffering the loss was the Joyce Detective Agency. Pratt, caught up with after two years, was one of its own operatives.

COLLECTION DAY Tomorrow will be regular collection day for The Daily Herald carriers. Please have your change ready.

SOLONS AWAIT FDR ACTION ON PAY TAX FREEZE

Congress Ready To Adjourn As Soon As President Acts On Measure

VETO MAY BE UPHELD

House Set For Overriding, But Action By Senate Seems Doubtful

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 — The 78th congress strove for adjournment sine die by tonight amid reports that President Roosevelt will act today on the bill "freezing" the social security payroll tax for 1945.

The consensus among members of the house and senate—although no one professed to know—was that the President would veto the social security bill.

House members were packed and ready to leave as soon as the President disposed of the bill, regardless of whether the senate completed its legislative program.

It was generally expected that the house would vote to override the veto, it having passed the "freeze" bill by better than 3-to-1. However, House Majority Leader McCormack was making a "last-ditch" endeavor to induce members to uphold the President.

Senate Doubtful

In the senate, the chances that the President would be upheld in the event of a veto appeared considerably brighter with many professing to believe that sufficient Democratic supporters of the "freeze" would swing over to make the veto stick.

In the event the "freeze" bill became law, the tax would remain at one percent on employers and employees for another year. Otherwise it would double Jan. 1.

Speaker Rayburn expressed the belief congress will adjourn sine die tomorrow.

It was apparent, however, that once the social security bill was disposed of the house members would leave. House Majority Leader McCormack indicated that if the (Continued on Page Three)

LABOR FRONT IN REICH MUST GO, GERMANS TOLD

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—The Nazi-controlled labor front will be dissolved in conquered Germany along with other party organizations, but German workers will be allowed to form democratic trade unions "when circumstances permit," a proclamation issued in the name of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower said today.

The proclamation, broadcast to Germany by Allied transmitters and reported to OWI, said that "all forms of free economic association and combination among workers will be permitted, providing that they do not assume any political or militaristic complexion."

The trade unions will be permitted to bargain collectively with employers, but "strikes threatening security, directly or indirectly, will be prohibited" and "so will lockouts."

Pay deductions for the benefit of Nazi party organizations will cease, the Germans were told, but "deductions of payments for social insurance, unemployment insurance, workman's compensation, or normal Reich taxes will be continued."

OTELIA COMPTON DIES

WOOSTER, O., Dec. 15 — Mrs. Otelia Compton, 85, whose three famous educator-sons brought her the Golden Rule Foundation title as American Mother of 1939, was found dead today in bed at her Wooster home. The three sons are Dr. Karl T. Compton, president of Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Dr. Arthur Holly Compton of the University of Chicago and famed for cosmic ray experiments; and Dr. Wilson Compton, president of the state college of Washington at Colmar.

CANNON'S MOUTH IS SILENCED



CAUGHT RIGHT ON THE BARREL by a Nazi 88 mm. gun during a duel in the town of Lucherberg, Germany, this gun on an American 1st Army tank has been put out of commission. But the GIs, who have been inspecting the damage, are waiting to get back into action. (International)

Lupe Velez Ends Life Rather Than Bear Child Under Shadow of Shame

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Dec. 15—Lupe Velez, tempestuous Mexican motion picture star, found dead from an overdose of sleeping tablets in her Beverly Hills home yesterday, ended her own life rather than bring her child into the world under a shadow of shame, it was revealed by two suicide notes.

In a note to "Harold"—her last sweetheart, Harold Ramond, French actor—Miss Velez wrote a dramatic final chapter to her life in these words:

"May God forgive you and forgive me too, but I prefer to take my life away and our baby's before I bring him with shame or kill him. How could you, Harold, fake such a great love for me and our baby when all the time you didn't want us. I see no other way for me so goodby and good luck to you. Love, Lupe."

Meanwhile, an examination of the body by Dr. Edward Gourson disclosed that a child would have been born to Miss Velez five months from now, C. H. Anderson, Beverly Hills chief of police, said.

Ramond, whose romance with the fiery little actress appeared to have ended with the announcement last week that their engagement had been broken, arrived at Lupe's home yesterday, white-faced and stunned. After a conference with police, Ramond was quoted as saying:

"I am so confused. I never expected this to happen. The last time I talked to Lupe I told her I was going to marry her any way she wanted. She said she wasn't going to have a baby. So we parted."

Admitting that he once asked Miss Velez to sign an agreement stating that he was "only marrying her to give the baby a name," Ramond added:

"But I didn't mean it. We'd just had a fight and I was in a terrible temper."

A second note found beside her body in the ornate bedroom was addressed to Lupe's faithful secretary of many years, Mrs. Beulah Kinder, which read:

"My dear Mrs. Kinder: My faithful friend, you and you. (Continued on Page Three)

SCOTS THREATEN TO STRIKE OVER GREEK POLICY

LONDON, Dec. 15—Scottish workers threatened today to carry out a one-hour strike Monday in a protest against the handling of the situation in Greece by the British government.

A delegation of 50 representatives of engineering and ship building works which came to London voiced the sentiments of the Scottish workers.

Some workers were so dissatisfied, a spokesman said, that they wanted a strike call for an entire day. The delegation said it had come to London in hopes of preventing a work tie-up.

HITLER'S REICH STAGGERED BY FRESH INVASION

Yanks Tighten Grip On West Bank Of Roer River

NAZI RESERVES BEATEN

First, Ninth Move Ahead As Patton Engages In Bitter Battle

By International News Service American Seventh Army troops slammed across the German border from the northeastern corner of France today, launching a fresh invasion of Hitler's Reich while other doughboys hundreds of miles to the northwest extended their vise-like grip on the western bank of the Roer.

Lieut. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's Seventh Army which has chased the Germans through the Strasbourg-Haguenau region pushed across the Nazi border, presumably in the area of Lauterbourg, which is divided by the frontier.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's spokesmen announced that the

HUNS HURL ROBOTS WITH THE U. S. NINTH

ARMY, Dec. 15—The Germans renewed their robot bomb attack against U. S. Ninth Army positions along the Roer River during the night, headquarters disclosed today. There also was minor Nazi luftwaffe activity.

First and Ninth Armies pushing in toward Cologne through Germany's toughest defense belts now hold a 16 airline mile stretch of the Roer river's western shore, extending from Linnich through Marlaeleir. Lieut. Gen. William H. Simpson's Ninth army controls 12 miles; Lieut. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges' First Army holds four miles, Eisenhower's spokesmen announced.

The last two pockets of German resistance in that area were cleared out and mud-covered veterans of the First Army held their newly-won positions in the face of fanatical Nazi opposition.

Hun Reserves Beaten

German reinforcements were brought up to battle the rampaging Seventh Army which smashed forward along a 35-mile front and advanced more than six miles at the peak of its drive.

Infantry and armor columns of Lieut. Gen. Alexander M. Patch made their gains despite stubborn opposition by the Germans who futilely threw reserves of tank units into the battle.

The Germans also threw unusually heavy artillery bombardments at the Seventh Army as Gen. Patch pursued his drive in the direction of the German rail and industrial center of Karlsruhe.

Other Seventh Army columns were revealed in front reports to have driven their way to the perimeter of the town of Riedelsdt, only two miles from Wissenburg on the Reich frontier.

South of liberated Strasbourg other Seventh Army columns pushed the Germans back for more than two miles.

Coordinated Drives

The Seventh Army offensive was coordinated with the drives of other Allied forces along the western front where the U. S. First Army closed in on positions along the Roer river, the last major natural barrier before Cologne.

On the southern wing of the western front where the U. S. Seventh and the French First Armies were (Continued on Page Three)

FAMILY LOSES SON, HAS SEVEN YET IN SERVICE

BUCKLEY FIELD, Colo., Dec. 15—The Armorer, soldier newspaper at Buckley field, today submitted the Ostler family of Chelsea, Mass., as the American family having the most sons in the armed forces.

The Ostlers have eight stars on their service flag, including Staff Sgt. Howard L. Ostler, who has just received the Distinguished Flying Cross at Buckley field. Six brothers are on active duty and one was killed in action.

VIRGIL WOLF
FIGHTING WITH
FAMOUS UNIT

Local Soldier Rifleman In
Regiment That Never
Has Retreated

Pvt. Virgil Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eymann Wolf, of Circleville, O., a rifleman, is fighting in Italy with the 361st Infantry Regiment, which spearheaded the advance of Lieutenant General Mark W. Clark's Fifth Army from Velletri to the Arno river without having once given ground.

The 361st is part of the 91st "Powder River" Division, currently in the Florence-Bologna drive. The regiment landed in Italy last May 31 and in two days moved into the line and fought its first battle just north of Velletri while attached to the 36th "Texas" Division. The 361st was one of the units that took the Albano hills and Lake Albano making possible the fall of Rome.

Bypassing Rome, the regiment continued to advance north on Highway 1 and participated in the capture of Tarquinia, which fell June 8, and Montalto, 10 miles further north, which fell on the following day. The 361st then went on to defeat the Germans at Magliano and capture the key terrain feature of Foggia di Moscano on June 17.

The outfit next won a signal victory at Ponte d'Isola, where the unit captured more than 200 Germans. One company of the 361st had crossed the Ombrone river and entered the town; two other companies had flanked the village. A German force counterattacked in the town and was taken by surprise by the flank companies.

The regiment advanced further to take Paganico, Roccastrada, Radicondoli and Casale d'Elsa. It was pulled out of the line for a rest July 4. Rejoining the 91st Division, the 361st attacked again July 14 east of Cecina. It then moved through Orceto, Pontassio and Pontedera and was the first in Italy to reach the Arno river July 17.

Colonel R. W. Broadlow, of Medford, Oregon, veteran of 28 years' service, commands the 361st. He has seen action on the Mexican border and in the first World War and served also in the Philippines and elsewhere in the Orient.

SCOUTS GUESTS
OF JAYCEES AT
DINNER MEETING

Members of Boy Scout Troop 121 were guests Thursday night of the Junior Chamber of Commerce at a meeting held in Hanley's restaurant.

Scoutmaster Bob Dean was introduced. He presented patrol leaders who in turn introduced members of their patrols. Twenty boys were present.

Jaycee members decided to erect a community Christmas tree in front of the honor roll board. The annual Christmas treat will not be given this year because the organization has been unable to

Hope for Him



THIS time Bob Hope isn't being funny. Through the Foster Parents' Plan for War Children, the big chuckle-and-laugh man has "adopted" 8-year-old Maurice Le Bruchecque, whose father is a prisoner of war. The boy was evacuated from Paris by Abbe Noe, parish priest, to Normandy. (International)

TURKEY PICTURE
IN JONES HOME
IS REPRODUCED

A picture of the beautiful painting of a Wild Turkey, which hangs above the buffet in the dining room of the Dr. Howard Jones home, Park Place, Circleville, is reproduced in the December issue of The Ohio Conservation Bulletin. The painting was made in 1888. The Wild Turkeys had been exterminated in Pickaway county, where the Jones family lived, in 1870 and 1871. Concerning the picture, Dr. Jones wrote the editor of the Bulletin that his mother, Mrs. Virginia Smith Jones, copied the outlines for the sketch from an Audubon plate of the Wild Turkey, which he owned. The drawing and coloring within this outline was made from a Wild Turkey which came from Pennsylvania.

His father, Dr. Nelson E. Jones, who was born and lived in Ross county until his college days, was an amateur ornithologist, a sportsman who loved turkey hunting above all other sports. Dr. Howard Jones' mother, Mrs. Virginia Smith Jones, completed the drawing of "The Illustrations of the Nests and Eggs of the Birds of Ohio" in 1886, after being employed in the work for more than 10 years. The illustrations were being made at first by Miss Genevieve Jones, who died when the first 15 had been completed. Her mother took up the work where she left off.

purchase candy, it was announced.

Plans for a minstrel show to be presented probably in March were discussed.

Fred Grant, one of the charter members of the organization, was a guest at the meeting.

Carl C. Leist Elected
New President By
Lutheran Brotherhood

Carl C. Leist was elected president at the final 1944 meeting of Trinity Lutheran Brotherhood, held Thursday evening in the parish house.

Arthur Barthelmas was named vice president; Emerson Martin, recording secretary; D. L. Tracy, treasurer, and Edward Sensenbrenner, reporting secretary.

With President George Griffith in charge of the meeting, devotionals were opened by the group singing "O Little Town of Bethlehem". Rev. G. L. Troutman read the scripture and offered prayer. Devotionals were closed with the singing of "Come Hither, Ye Faithful, Triumphant Sing."

Gladys Troutman was chairman of the entertainment. He presented Mr. Leist as song leader and he led the group in the

POST OFFICE TO
BE OPEN ALL
DAY SATURDAY

Circleville post office will be open all day Saturday for the convenience of late Christmas mailers. Postmaster A. Hulse Hays announced Friday. Stamp, parcel post and money order windows will be open Saturday afternoon instead of closing at noon as usual, he said.

Business has increased this week but no big rush has developed, the postmaster said. Bad weather which has prevented many from getting out to do their Christmas mailing was given as one reason. Others mailed early in accordance with the national plea to mail in November, others are delaying until the last minute and many packages and cards will not be delivered before Christmas, Mr. Hays said.

The postmaster said a big rush was expected from now until Christmas and that every effort would be made to get all mail cleared out of the local post office by Christmas day.

Combat cargo ships carry six miles of steel cable, seven-eighths-inch thick, capable of lifting 30 tons or more.

singing of Christmas carols. A discussion on which was the most popular followed with members agreeing on "Silent Night."

President Griffith reviewed Charles Dickens' Christmas story, "Scrooge," after which the group held a round table discussion on Christmas subjects. A piano solo was presented by Nancy Eitel. Lantern slides of pictures pertaining to Christ's birth were shown by Rev. Troutman.

Refreshments were served by a committee headed by H. Roy Stout.

At the first meeting of 1945 the outgoing officers will present the program and the incoming officers will serve refreshments.

JOHN BOWERS
OF LAURELVILLE
LOST IN ACTION

Pfc. John Bowers, 21, member of an intelligence corps, has been missing in action in France since November 19, according to a war department telegram received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers, Laurelville.

Pfc. Bowers entered the service April 23, 1942, while he was a pre-law junior at Ohio State university. He has been in France since September.

A brother, Capt. George R. "Dick" Bowers, is identified with a transportation unit in the Hawaiian Islands. Other members of his family are a sister, Ruth, and a brother, Robert, at home.

AAA BOARD TO
BE SELECTED AT
SATURDAY MEET

Saturday the delegates named at community AAA elections meetings during the week, will convene at the county AAA office to elect the Pickaway County AAA Committee for the 1945 program year, according to an announcement made Friday by John G. Boggs, Pickaway County AAA Chairman.

"These delegates — one from each community in the county — will name the chairman and other two members of the county AAA committee," Mr. Boggs explained. "This new county committee will assume its duties immediately."

Annual AAA community committee elections have been held in all Ohio counties during the weeks beginning December 4 and 11, and county AAA committees throughout the state will be named on December 16.

"In Pickaway county 45 community AAA committeemen and 30 alternate committeemen were elected for the ensuing year," Mr.

Boggs said. "These men, together with the newly elected county AAA committee members, will administer the AAA farm program in this county."

The county chairman pointed out that annual elections for county and community AAA committeemen offer an opportunity for farmers in each locality to select the men they felt best qualified to represent them with the federal government. These men, in turn, represent the federal government in their localities, as it is their duty to help administer the various war programs assigned with the Agricultural Adjustment Agency.

\$93.10 INHERITANCE TAX
Inheritance tax in the estate of Hazel G. Ward has been fixed at \$93.10 in probate court on an estate of \$2,862.18.

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HITLER'S REICH STAGGERED BY FRENCH INVASION

Yanks Tighten Vice-Like
Grip On West Bank
Of Roer River

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battling the retreating Nazis, the Germans launched a series of bitter counter-attacks in the vicinity of Colmar which checked the Allied drive to surround and clear the Vosges region.

However the U. S. First Army was revealed in front dispatches to have seized control of the west bank of the Roer river from a point north of Duren to the north of Linz where the U. S. Ninth Army took over other stretches of the river.

Infantry and armor columns of the U. S. Third Army which is holding multiple bridgeheads across the Saar river, made hard-earned advances which necessitated the clearing of bitterly-defended pillboxes.

Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's troops engaged the Germans in a furious battle within the Siegfried line above Saarbrücken and fought another all-out battle with the desperate Germans to hold their positions in Saarlautern, where the first bridgehead was jabbed across the Saar river.

Luzon Founded
American naval headquarters in Pearl Harbor disclosed that Luzon, the main island of the Philippines, today was littered with the wreckage of 91 more Japanese planes which were shot down in a blast by American carrier-based planes.

The Yank air attacks also blasted Jap positions throughout the island, setting fire to harbor installations and destroying large quantities of supplies.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur issued a communique from his headquarters on Leyte island in the Philippines which disclosed that the Japs have lost an estimated 82,000 men in the 55-day-old battle on Leyte.

Of this number, some 30,000 were destroyed as Yank air forces broke up eight convoys attempting to land reinforcements on Leyte island.

At the same time the American losses included 10,000 casualties of which 2,176 were killed in action.

Meanwhile American columns pushed north of captured Ormoc bay in a twin drive which American headquarters described as an all-out drive to annihilate the pocketed Jap garrison.

On the eastern front Soviet troops were reported in front dispatches to have encircled three-fourths of Budapest in the battle for the Hungarian capital.

DAIRYMEN MUST FILE FEED PAY APPLICATIONS

Farmers who wish to be eligible for dairy feed payments for milk and butterfat produced and sold during September and October, 1944 must submit their applications and evidence at the county AAA office on or before December 30, 1944, according to an announcement made today by Dewey Downs, member of the Pickaway county AAA committee in charge of the dairy feed program.

Mr. Downs explained that dairy feed payments are made for two-month periods and that 60 days after the end of the second month of any period are allowed for submitting applications and evidence.

"Dairy feed payments are made as a part of the War Food Administration's program to maintain or increase milk production in spite of high feed costs," Mr. Downs said.

Mr. Downs urged farmers to make prompt application for their dairy feed payments so that they can take full advantage of the help this program is designed to give in producing the large amount of milk needed.

MARKETS

Cash quotations made for farmers in Circleville:

Cream, Premium	47
Cream, Regular	44
Eggs	43

Heavy Springers	28
Light Springers	21
Old Roosters	12

Wheat	1.62
No. 2 Yellow Corn	1.10
No. 2 White Corn	1.25
Soybeans	2.05

Provided By
J. W. Eschelman & Sons
WHEAT

Open	High	Low	Close
Dec-149	149	148	149
May-149	149	148	149
July-154	154	153	154

Open	High	Low	Close
Dec-112	112	111	112
May-110	110	109	110
July-109	109	108	109

CLOSING LIVESTOCK MARKET
Provided By Farm Bureau
RECEIPTS—10,000; Sows, 190 lbs. and over, \$14.10@14.15; bidding.

RECEIPTS—Active steady; 250 to 300 lbs., \$13.90; 270 to 300 lbs., \$14.05; 150 to 270 lbs., \$14.15; 160 to 180 lbs., \$14.15; 180 to 240 lbs., \$14.20; 240 to 300 lbs., \$14.25; 300 to 350 lbs., \$14.30; 350 to 400 lbs., \$14.35; 400 to 450 lbs., \$14.40; 450 to 500 lbs., \$14.45; 500 to 550 lbs., \$14.50; 550 to 600 lbs., \$14.55; 600 to 650 lbs., \$14.60; 650 to 700 lbs., \$14.65; 700 to 750 lbs., \$14.70; 750 to 800 lbs., \$14.75; 800 to 850 lbs., \$14.80; 850 to 900 lbs., \$14.85; 900 to 950 lbs., \$14.90; 950 to 1,000 lbs., \$14.95; 1,000 to 1,050 lbs., \$15.00; 1,050 to 1,100 lbs., \$15.05; 1,100 to 1,150 lbs., \$15.10; 1,150 to 1,200 lbs., \$15.15; 1,200 to 1,250 lbs., \$15.20; 1,250 to 1,300 lbs., \$15.25; 1,300 to 1,350 lbs., \$15.30; 1,350 to 1,400 lbs., \$15.35; 1,400 to 1,450 lbs., \$15.40; 1,450 to 1,500 lbs., \$15.45; 1,500 to 1,550 lbs., \$15.50; 1,550 to 1,600 lbs., \$15.55; 1,600 to 1,650 lbs., \$15.60; 1,650 to 1,700 lbs., \$15.65; 1,700 to 1,750 lbs., \$15.70; 1,750 to 1,800 lbs., \$15.75; 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OPEN LETTERS

TO BOND BUYERS

EVERYONE: The E Bond sale of the current War Bond campaign is lagging. That means that individuals are not lending the same support as the business organizations of the community. Maybe you have gone as far as you think possible, but cash for another bond might possibly be scraped together. If so, buy. It is not propaganda that the boys in uniform are depending on your cash support. They really are as they will tell you when they come home.

CIRCUITEER.

TO THE WEATHERMAN

UNPOPULAR SIR: You are entirely too ambitious. Right before Christmas when we have all our shopping to do you come along with the worst storm of years. How about calling off this record-making weather and declaring an armistice until January, say?

CIRCUITEER.

TO EDUCATORS

SCHOOL OFFICIALS: That proposal for an FM radio circuit for Ohio schools is mighty interesting and I hope that if it goes through both city and county schools will participate in the program. School sponsored educational programs should be a great aid to the corps of local teachers and at the same time provide for our schools the services of outstanding educators who could not be individually employed.

CIRCUITEER.

TO KIWANIS

GENTLEMEN: A mighty fine party, that annual football banquet for the high school boys. They look forward to it each year and I know that you men do, too. And I am looking forward to your annual Christmas party for boys and girls of the Children's Home next Monday. I was your guest last year and I expect to be there again this year.

CIRCUITEER.

TO EVERYONE

MY PEOPLE: How about those Christmas cards and Christmas gifts? Have you mailed them yet? I haven't either although I know I should have done so days ago. Let's go about it at once.

CIRCUITEER.

TO GIFT BUYERS

FRIENDS: In the military hospitals of Ohio are hundreds of men stricken down in the service of your country. They have given more than you can even imagine giving. They, too, should be remembered right along with your family on Christmas day. They fought for you; remember them. And you can remember them and show your appreciation by buy-

ing an extra Christmas present and delivering it to the American Legion home. The Legion will see that all the presents are delivered at the Ohio hospitals in time for Christmas. If you have not yet bought your veteran's present then do so at once. You will feel a lot better and make a Yank much happier on the holiday.

CIRCUITEER

TO LAKE BOOSTERS

GENTLEMEN: Congratulations on your slate of first officers. In Budd Harden you have a president who will give the project everything he has in the way of time, energy and thought. And your directors and other officers are able men, too. I am anxiously awaiting details of your financing campaign and hope for its unqualified success. The Memorial Lake project is a worthy one and will provide much pleasure for the folk of Pickaway county and vicinity.

CIRCUITEER

TO OUR FIGHTERS

YANKS: That you are playing important roles in the war is indicated in frequent dispatches reaching here from the fronts in Europe and the Pacific. And we know you are gaining recognition the hard way. Few of us believe that the enemy you face is a push-over. We know that he is determined and tough despite what some of the Pollyannas write. We are mighty proud of all of you and I hope that none of us ever forgets the personal debt to you.

CIRCUITEER

TO WELLS AND DADE

GRID STARS: You boys merited the recognition given you by selection on the all-Central Ohio football team. You are good ball players and good sportsmen. That seven of your team-mates gained places on the second team or received favorable mention is further proof of the fact that the Tigers' grid aggregation was an outstanding one. Never forget, Jim and Jim you were able to star largely because of the cooperation of the other boys on the team. You will learn farther on in life that the same conditions largely holds true in all undertakings. Some individuals, advance as individuals, but for the most part success is seldom the accomplishment of a lone individual.

CIRCUITEER

TO MISS PATTY WOLFE

PRINCE OF PEACE CONTEST WINNER: Congratulations on your excellent declamation that won first prize in the Pickaway county Prince of Peace contest. You well deserved the silver medal awarded you for your accomplishment. May good luck attend you in the district contest to which you advance. And to Jerry Rasor, runner-up in the contest, congratulations of a very good try.

CIRCUITEER.

TO WILLIAMSPORT

PATRIOTIC COMMUNITY: Once more you lead the parade of bond buyers in the county, being over the top in the Sixth campaign. Both the community and the salesmen are worthy of high praise for exceeding the quota on the first day of the drive, the total being \$11,400, almost double the quota. We all are proud of you.

CIRCUITEER

TO SHERIFF'S AUXILIARY

GENTLEMEN: A fine and thoughtful bit of work, that chain letter you wrote to the six members of your organization in the armed service. I know just how much that letter will be appreciated by the men in service. Your example could well be followed by all other clubs and organizations in the city and county.

CIRCUITEER

Inside WASHINGTON

Cryptostegia Rubber Plan | Tariff May Again Become
Killed by Soil, Climate | Red-Hot Political Issue

WASHINGTON—The story of a \$6,300,000 loss to the United States in starting a rubber plantation in Haiti was disclosed in a recent report by the Rubber Development corporation. The story involves the vine-like, rubber-yielding plant, cryptostegia, and plans to plant 100,000 acres of it in Haiti back in 1942.

The object, of course, was to find some source for the desperately-needed crude rubber from which the Japs had cut us off, and while cryptostegia never had been cultivated commercially before and little was known of its characteristics, the gamble was decided upon.

So approximately 70,000 of the proposed 100,000 acres of Haitian jungle actually got cleared and some 43,000 acres of plantings were set out. But neither the cryptostegia nor nature would cooperate with Uncle Sam.

First, the plants demanded considerably more exacting soil and moisture conditions and required much longer to mature than had been expected.

Secondly, a serious drought retarded growth so much that it became apparent that little or no rubber could be obtained from the plants in 1944-45—and only a small amount in 1946. Furthermore, it was evident that about seven million more dollars would be needed to carry on through 1946.

So the 100,000 acres never were planted and the whole idea was given up, except for cultivation at one experimental station where things were well under way. The scheme will not be a total loss, however. From this one station, the RDC expects to learn once and for all whether cryptostegia could ever, under any circum-

stances, be an economically feasible source of rubber.

THE TARIFF, LONG BURIED as a political issue, is being dusted off and groomed as a red-hot issue when the war in Europe ends. In the opinion of veteran congressional observers it will come back to life as a major battle ground for both political parties.

The ancient argument that prosperity will result from lowering tariff rates is being advanced. This time it is offered as an aid to the rehabilitation of Europe after V-E Day. Briefly, the argument is that the United States should buy a lot of foreign-made goods after the war so foreigners may establish credits here to buy American-made goods.

On the other side is the traditional Republican argument that a lowering of tariff walls would result in flooding the United States with foreign-made articles and result in a price war in which American firms could not compete successfully—that the firms would be forced to close their doors and that workmen would be forced out of jobs.

Some observers see the tariff issue as an aid to the GOP in its efforts to get back into power in Washington. Since the advent of FDR the tariff issue has been sidetracked by empowering the president to make reciprocal trade agreements with foreign countries.

It is no secret that the Republicans in Congress have had enough power to repeal the reciprocal tariff system, but in the interest of not shocking our Allies a gentlemen's agreement was reached to extend the act.

Administration leaders plainly are fearful that once the urgency of war solidarity is passed, there will be a drive in Congress to toss out the act and hike rates.

To date this skirmishing has been behind the scenes, but it may set the nation by its ear soon. Further, a real scrap over immigration laws for after V-E Day. A large segment of Congress would like to stop immigration after the war to save jobs for people already in the country.

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DIET AND HEALTH

A Grim Prospect

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

THE WAR has not relaxed the vigilance of health authorities in the United States, Canada, Mexico and Central America, with the

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

result that the health of the civil population on this continent is better than it was before the war. But not so in the rest of the world.

The problem of reconstruction will be enormously complicated by these grim conditions.

It can perhaps best be illustrated by the situation in tuberculosis. For 75 years there has been a worldwide decline in incidence of tuberculosis, accelerated immensely, especially in this country, during the last three decades by deliberate planning and campaigning.

Effect of War

In 1939 when the war started in Europe the mortality from tuberculosis in the United States was 47. In 1943 it was 42. Canada's experience has been about the same.

In England and Wales the rate rose during the first years of war from 62 to 69, but from 1941 it has again declined.

In countries where the ravages of war have been an immediate experience, however, the story is entirely different. Statistics are naturally spotty, but we have some reliable ones. In Paris the tuberculosis mortality rate rose 10 per cent during the first six months of 1941, over 1939. Among children the rate has increased 30 per cent.

In Holland and Belgium the increase is 50 per cent since the beginning of the war. In Germany from 1939 to 1942 the increase is 24 per cent. In Rome 3,450 persons died from tuberculosis in the first half of 1944 compared to an annual average pre-war mortality of 1,200.

Reports on Japan

Japan has always been a generation behind western countries in tuberculosis control. For two decades prior to Pearl Harbor the rate was about 200 per 100,000 population. Exact figures are not available, but scattered reports indicate a major upswing in incidence.

The causes for these conditions are not difficult to determine—break up of Public Health service, crowded and uncertain living quarters, and lack of food. But the situation indicates the necessity for eternal vigilance. Our enemy is scotched not killed. It awaits, ever ready to renew its depredations at the slightest opportunity.

There is another lesson, which is that to preserve our own gains these foods are given—in fact when any kind of a complete and balanced diet is furnished.

Indicator of Conditions

Tuberculosis, as I said, is merely an indicator of general health conditions abroad. I was talking to a doctor recently returned from China. He showed me some pictures of little children with nutritional dropsy—in their legs and bellies and faces all swollen.

This is an old story of war and famine. American scientists, Dr. Wilfred Wells and Roger Perkins, studied post war nutritional edema in Rumania in 1918, as did Dr. A. J. Carlson in Russia. Their first theories were that the condition was due to lack of vitamin A in the diet. But this was disproved when Emma Kohmann showed that the real cause was lack of protein in the diet—meat, eggs, milk. It rapidly clears up when these foods are given—in fact when any kind of a complete and balanced diet is furnished.

The burden of rehabilitation of these stricken peoples must fall upon our magnanimous and great-hearted country. Since we have really improved our health record on rationing it may be supposed we can stand the annoyances of it for a few years more. Certainly we cannot let the little children in foreign countries suffer in order to provide midnight lunches for ourselves.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

P. A. C.—Is there any treatment other than surgery for Dupuytren's contracture of the hand?

Answer: Dupuytren's contracture is the formation of scar tissue in the palmar tendons of the hand, causing the fingers to remain in a semi closed position. I have never known exercises or stretching or massage to do it any good. Surgery is usually successful, but tedious.

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traffic officer, a newly created post. He had been a deputy sheriff and left the county post for his new position.

Miss Margaret Rooney spoke on "Scotland" at a meeting of the Presby-Weds at the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Colwell were spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William E. Sullivan, Springfield.

10 YEARS AGO

Milton S. Cox, former superintendent of schools in Pickaway and Vinton counties, was one of five prominent Ohioans seeking the post as manager of the Ohio State Fair.

Frank Fischer, high school faculty member, was initiated into Phi Delta Kappa, national honorary educational fraternity at Ohio State university. Membership in this fraternity is based on progress in the education field and on the record made at the university.

Vernon D. Keller, former Circleville school teacher, was granted a leave of absence by the Jackson board of education so that he could study at Chicago university.

25 YEARS AGO

Joseph M. Lynch returned from

ROMANTIC MASQUERADE

by MARIE BLIZARD

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SYNOPSIS

Daphne Willoughby Abruzzi, married when 17 and a widow at 23, returned to her home town, North Wintridge, after an absence of twelve years, eight of which were spent in Paris, London, and Naples. After her husband's death, she worked four years for Corinne Hollis, a New York decorator. On the train Daphne thought of the many fanciful letters she wrote to her friend, Kate Dennison, describing the romantic Carlo, her musician husband... concert tours, musicals, gay bohemian affairs. She also thought of Alan Pembroke, a young architect, whose orchids she was wearing. At the station she met Kate Dennison and her husband, "Tommy," and went to their home.

Later Daphne told Kate that "Cousin Ella left me a house and a trust fund" of about \$3,000 a year. Daphne says that she has no intention of remarrying, but Kate is skeptical. Soon Daphne is busy renewing old acquaintances and starts remodeling Cousin Ella's former home assisted by an adoring sub- "Buff" Turner. While weeding the garden, Daphne says that she was under the observation of a strange man and his dog. She tripped over a vine and wrenched her ankle. After the stranger bandaged it, she asked him if he knew of any available gardener. He offered to work five hours a day and when she asked him name, he said, "Steve. Just call me Steve." As she left in her station wagon, Daphne kept thinking: Steve who?

CHAPTER SIX

The way to find the answer was simple: She drove her car straight down the hill, instead of turning back to town. This way she would pass the metal mailboxes on posts at the road edge.

There were three boxes in the row which obviously belonged to the three rustic cottages. Daphne leaned out of the car and squinted at the names painted on them. The first one read L. J. ... the second one, O. Pulaski; and the third, in faint letters, proclaimed its owner to be S. W. Bronner.

"I've got my gardener," she told Mrs. Gilson over tea-cups, later. "They're more precious than tires. Is he under ninety, Daphne?" asked Laura Loughlan.

"Considerably. About thirty-five, I think."

"Then he's either the village idiot, or completely unreliable, and you won't get any work out of him," someone said.

"I think I will. I hope he'll be a good worker, because he certainly isn't a talker," Daphne remarked grimly, as she turned to listen to Mrs. Russell. She could catch only snatches of her chat.

"... we're not going to have paid help now... We kept her on because she needed the money..."

The party broke up with everyone telling Daphne to put her ankle in water as hot as she could stand it, with salt, etc.

So Daphne went home and put cold compresses on it, strapped an ice-bag to it for the night, and woke in the morning feeling nearly fit, and in a rare mood for a fine afternoon of "slave-driving."

Through the open windows of Daphne's house came the sound of young voices arguing pleasantly in the yard back of it. The May sun was summery hot and it intensified the perfume of budding things. Daphne was sure that she could distinguish the separate scents of dogwood, and violets, and arbutus, above the pungent smell of fresh paint and newly cut wood.

And she did like to pick, she assured herself while sticking a broad brush into a pail and wiping a hand on the hem of her overalls. Then she viewed the outdoors

framed by her window. The air seemed to have a pictorial quality, golden specks against the bluest of skies. The dogwood was a mass of pink and white against the dark green of neighboring hills.

She leaned out the window and shouted: "Buff! How about the sandwiches you were going to get?"

A vibrant young male voice called, "Hey, Sprig! The boss wants you."

Miss Elizabeth Van Druyten Turner (better known as Buff) appeared from somewhere in stained slacks and sweater, tossed a burp-lap sack at Daphne's second hired man, and retorted, "Don't call me 'Sprig,' you amateur gardener, you! You ought to know you can't put chive plants in the..."

The second hired man removed the sack from his face where her accurate aim had landed it, and thundered, "Pipe down! One more word out of you and I'll..."

Daphne put an end to it: "I'm starving. How about it?"

"Okay," Buff answered, ducking the sack. "I'll be back in a jiff. Coming with me, Perry?"

Daphne answered for him. "He is not! That young man is paid cold, hard cash to help me get this paint job done."

"I'll be seeing you," Buff called, starting her car as if it were propelled from a cannon.

Concern wrinkled Daphne's forehead. Buff would be seeing Perry Dawson. In fact she had been seeing him as often as possible since that morning ten days before when that irritating young man, with a thatch of red hair and full crop of freckles, turned up and said that Steve had told him Mrs. Abruzzi could use an extra hand at her paint job.

It was Buff, as Daphne remembered it, who'd engaged him on the spot. The results were both satisfactory and unsatisfactory: the paint job was getting done in double-quick time (satisfactory); and Buff and Perry were enjoying each other's company entirely too much (unsatisfactory).

Daphne was beginning to feel worried about Buff. It was all very well for the girl to work from dawn to dusk on Daphne's house, but it was not all right that she was doing it because of her interest in Perry Dawson who was the son of the village dressmaker. Not that Daphne was snobbish about such matters; but after all, the daughter of the richest citizen and the son of the poor dressmaker...

Right at that moment Daphne heard him cry, "Good morning!" and Steve's, "Hi, Perry!"

What, she wondered, getting brush in hand again, had brought Steve around this morning. Then she remembered she hadn't paid him yesterday.

(To be continued)

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GRAB BAG

Words of Wisdom

It is better to be nobly remembered, than nobly born.—Ruskin.

Today's Horoscope

You are reserved and unobtrusive if today is your birthday, but in your own quiet way, you accomplish a great deal. You have a retentive memory, learn readily, and impart your knowledge easily to others. You would make an excellent teacher. You are bright, witty and very entertaining, fond of fun and traveling. Good and ill vibrations operate for you during your next year, promising

One-Minute Test

1. Where does this quotation appear: "The coward dies many times before his death, the valiant never taste of death but once?"
2. Who said, "Never put off until tomorrow what you can do today?"
3. Who is the author of the saying, "Yet each man kills the thing he loves?"

Hints on Etiquette

Don't apologize for things over which you have no control. If your possessions look shabby but are the best you can afford, offer no explanations.

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itual aspiration may prove compensatory for loss and sorrow. A child born on this day may have a life of strange or singular

happines in love, but trouble through elderly relatives, and also threatening deception and ill-health. Be on the watch—avoid law and property deals during this time. Born today a child will be very independent—an idealist, romantic, excessively generous, affectionate, but unfortunate in legal and church matters.

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—: Social Happenings - Personals - News of Interest to Women :—:

Memorial Hall Scene Of Daughters' Dinner

Annual Party
Is Staged
By DUV

A large bowl of gold and white chrysanthemums with greenery centered the beautifully arranged table for the annual Daughters' dinner of the Circleville tent, Daughters of Union Veterans, Thursday in the dining room of Memorial hall. The affair was largely attended by members, and one guest, Mrs. Ora Opphie, of Columbus, was present. V for Victory place cards were the appropriate favors at each cover.

Immediately after the dinner hour, a short but impressive memorial service for the five school-girl founders of the organization was held in the Post room. The society was organized by this youthful group in Massillon.

The beautiful service was in charge of Mrs. L. E. Miller, retiring chaplain, and Mrs. Irene Newton, new chaplain of the order. The altar was decked with a large white vase filled with fern and a large star was featured in the service. Five members, dressed in white, carrying candles and flowers, approached the altar and placed the flowers in the vase. Others, dressed in black and carrying flags, were at the points of the large star and paid tribute to the girls. Mrs. James Pierce, tent pianist, played several Christmas hymns during the ceremony.

Mrs. C. O. Kerns, general chairman of the dinner, was assisted by a committee comprised of Miss Ada Hammel, Mrs. E. L. Tolbert and Mrs. Irene Newton were responsible for the attractive decorations in the dining room.

The regular meeting of the tent will be Tuesday, December 19, at 7:30 p. m. in the Post room. All members are asked to be present for this session, which is to be the annual Christmas party.

Joint Meeting

About 50 were present Thursday for the joint session of the Missionary society and Otterbein guild of the First United Brethren church held in the community house. A cooperative supper at 6:30 p. m. was followed by an interesting program, appropriate to the Christmas season.

Mrs. Kenneth Shook followed group singing of a Christmas hymn with the Christmas, story from St. Luke and Matthew. Mrs. C. O. Kerns offered prayer. Dolores Hawkes entertained the group with the reading, "The Night Before Christmas"; vocal duet, "While Shepherds Watched their Flocks"; Mrs. Frank Hawkes and Mrs. Charles Ater; playlet, "Love Came Down at Christmas"; with Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Canter, Donald Canter, Mary-Ruth Dawson, Patty Nau, Phyllis Hawkes, Sonny Shook and Teddy Huston taking part. The Rev. J. E. Huston concluded the affair with prayer.

It was announced that the Junior church had made an offering of \$25 for the missionary work of the church.

Group H Meets

Group H of the Women's association of the Presbyterian church was delightfully entertained Thursday at a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Forest Croman, Washington township, with Mrs. Sterley Croman as assisting hostess. Christmas greens, gayly colored balls and red candles in lovely arrangements made the home a seasonal setting for the affair. Nineteen members were present for the evening.

Mrs. D. Adrian Yates opened the session with a special reading, dedicating the meeting to Christmas. Mrs. Charles Smith conducted an especially arranged devotional service for December 25, reading for the scripture Luke 2, 8-20, and reading a prayer.

Mrs. Forest Croman reported as secretary and Mrs. Franklin Kibler, as treasurer. Mrs. Melvin Yates, program chairman, read an informative article on "The His-

old Defenbaugh as piano accompanist.

Refreshments were served following the exchange of gifts from the fireplace, the gifts being distributed by Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus.

Auxiliary to Meet

Members of the American Legion auxiliary will meet Monday at 7:30 p. m. in the Legion club home, East Main street. Each one is asked to take a 25-cent gift for the exchange at the annual Christmas party.

Real Folks' Club

Twelve members of the Real Folks' club were present Thursday for the dinner meeting of the club at Mrs. Marion's party home. After the dinner hour, there was an exchange of gifts and games and contests were enjoyed.

Daughters of 1812

Major John Boggs Chapter, Daughters of 1812, met Thursday at the home of Miss Mary Heffner, East Mound street, for the annual Christmas tea. Miss Alice Ada May, as guest speaker, was heard in a splendid talk of current interest.

Two groups of songs were presented by Mrs. Dudley Carpenter with Miss Abbe Mills Clarke as piano accompanist.

Seasonal decorations of the home included a lovely tree and Santa Claus arrangement on a table in the living room and huge Christmas candles at either end of the table, centered with a bowl of floating water lily candles.

Club Dinner

Mrs. David Dunlap, West Franklin street, asked members of her bridge club to play at her home Thursday following the annual club dinner at the Pickaway Arms. Twelve members were served an excellent turkey dinner at 7 p. m. at one table centered with an arrangement of Yuletide greens, tall white candles, and white and silver berries.

Prizes in the progressive games at the Dunlap home were won by Mrs. Hervey J. Sweyer and Mrs. Meeker Terwilliger.

Christmas Party

A Christmas dinner party was enjoyed Thursday at the Pickaway Arms by members of one of Circleville's bridge clubs, including Mrs. James Reidelderfer, Mrs. John U. Moore, Mrs. Henry Helwagen, Mrs. Fred Grant, Mrs. James Lytle, Mrs. Ned Plum, Mrs. Ned Harden and Mrs. William Dunlap.

Candles decorated the table where the guests were served an excellent chicken dinner. After an exchange of gifts, the members of the club enjoyed a theatre party.

Logan Elm Grange

The regular meeting of Logan Elm grange will be held Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in Pickaway school auditorium. The regular meeting will be preceded with a cooperative dinner at 6:30 p. m. for which members are asked to take a covered dish and table service. The Christmas party is planned for the evening and members are asked to take 25-cent gifts. Members of the juvenile grange ask that donations for their box for the needy be taken to this meeting.

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Personals

Mrs. Stella Spangler, of Watt street, will spend the week end in Columbus with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Hughes, and granddaughter, Nancy Ann Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Young, Pickaway township, were Thursday business visitors in Circleville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carter, Williamsport, were Thursday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Helwagen, of North Court street.

Church Notices

Kingston Methodist Charge
Leroy R. Wilkin, minister.
Kingston: Church school 10 a. m. Divine worship 11 a. m. Christmas hymns. Sermon subject: "Christ's Rightful Domain." Second of a series for the Christmas season.
Crouse Chapel: Church school 9:45 a. m.
Bethel: Church school 9:30 a. m. Divine worship 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject: "The Christmas Gift of Life."

Salem: Divine worship 9:45 a. m. Special music. Sermon subject: "The Christmas Gift of Life."
Williamsport Methodist
Rev. R. S. Meyer, pastor
Church school 9:30 a. m.; G. P. Hunsicker, superintendent; worship, 10:30 a. m.

Williamsport Christian
Rev. W. E. Ewing, pastor
Sunday school, 10 a. m.; James Leslie, superintendent; services Sunday evening.

Williamsport Pilgrim
Rev. Herbert Taylor, pastor
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Ashville Methodist Charge
Rev. Dwight Woodworth, pastor
Ashville: Church school, 9:30 a. m.; Stanley Beckett, superintendent; extended service (for children), 10:45 a. m.; worship service, 10:45 a. m.; Question Mark club, 7 p. m.

Hedges Chapel: Worship service.
9:30 a. m.; church school, 10:30 a. m.; Martin Cromley, superintendent.

Stoutsville Lutheran
Rev. H. B. Drum, pastor
Trinity Lutheran, Stoutsville: worship service, 9:15; Sunday school, 10:15.

St. Jacob's Lutheran, Tarlton:
Sunday school, 9:30; worship service, 10:30.

Atlanta Methodist
V. C. Stump, pastor
9:45 a. m., unified service; 6:30 p. m. Epworth league.

Tarlton Methodist Charge
Rev. Charles E. Palmer, pastor
Tarlton: Morning worship service, 9:30 a. m., with sermon by the pastor; church following.

South Perry: Church school,
9:30 a. m.; morning worship service, 10:30 a. m., with sermon by the pastor; prayer service, Sunday and Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

Drinkle: Church school,
10 a. m.; Wilbur Woodward, superintendent.

Oakland: Church school,
9:30 a. m.; Mrs. Clarence Miller, superintendent.

Bethany: Church school,
9:30 a. m.; Evangelistic services Saturday and Sunday at 7:30 p. m. We welcome you to our church in your community.

South Bloomfield Methodist
Rev. Oscar King, pastor
South Bloomfield: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Miss Nannie Book, superintendent; class meeting at Neal's Wednesday evening.

Shadeville: Sunday at 10 a. m.
Miss Norma Millar, superintendent; prayer meeting at the church, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

Walnut Hill: Worship service,
10 a. m.; Christmas message by the pastor; Sunday school, 11 a. m.; Walter Reese, superintendent; Crusade for Christ committee meeting Friday evening at Anderson's at the Hartman firm.

Lockbourne: Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Mrs. Emory O'Hara, superintendent; worship service, 11 a. m.; Christmas message by the Rev. Mr. King.

Adelphi Methodist Parish
Rev. I. C. Wright, pastor
Adelphi: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; H. A. Strous, superintendent; worship service, 10:30 a. m.; Hallsville: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; H. E. Dresbach, superintendent.

Haynes: Sunday school,
9:30 a. m.; Joseph Ellick, superintendent; worship service 7 p. m.

Laurelville: Worship service,
9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:15 a. m.; Thomas Hockman, superintendent.

Emmett's Chapel, Mt. Pleasant
Rev. Sam C. Eisea, pastor
Emmett's Chapel: Church school, 10 a. m.

Mt. Pleasant: Church school,
10 a. m.; illustrated lecture, 11 a. m., by William and Jacob Noble; song service, 7:30 p. m.

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Rev. F. E. Dunn, pastor
Dresbach: Preaching 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school following. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Morris: Sunday school
9:30 a. m.; preaching to follow, C. E. 7:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Ringgold: Sunday school
9:30 a. m.; prayer service to follow, C. E. 7 p. m.; preaching following. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Pontius: Sunday school
9:30 a. m.; prayer service following. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Derby Methodist Parish
Rev. S. N. Root, pastor
Derby: Church school, 9:30 a. m.; Brice Connell, superintendent; Christmas contacts, 8 p. m., by High School Mixed chorus, directed by Mrs. Donald E. Thomas.

Greenland: Worship service,
9:45 a. m.; church school following. Nostyn Garrett, superintendent.

Five Points: Church school,
7 p. m.; Christmas program, 8 p. m.; Francis Furniss, superintendent.

Pherson: Church school,
10 a. m.

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OHIO SCHOOLS VOTE ON SPRING GRID PRACTICE

Controversial Issue Again
Before Superintendents
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COLUMBUS, Dec. 15—Another football feud is in the making in Ohio scholastic athletics and bids to steal some of the show from the still-young basketball season.

This developed today with the announcement by Ohio High School Athletic Commissioner Harold W. Emswiler that ballots are in the mails to Ohio schools on the much discussed (and cussed) matter of Spring football practice.

It's a problem that has been boiling for a year and a half. There are those who want Spring practice; there are those who don't.

Slightly more than a year ago the state football coaches' meeting in Columbus adopted a resolution favoring the banning of Spring practice to give regular Spring sports "a chance to breathe." Taking the cue of their own coaches, the principals and superintendents of Ohio schools hitched onto the idea with the result that Spring practice now is taboo for all of the state's 450 football-playing schools.

But within the last few months considerable resentment has been aired in regard to the edict and as a result the coaches sometime ago retracted their original proposal and asked that the question be put to a vote a second time.

Throughout Ohio's football belt—the northeastern Ohio steel district—there is a strong feeling that the measure will be defeated just as soundly as it was put into effect a year ago. The vote in the first referendum was 278 for eliminating Spring practice and 94 to keep it in effect.

The coaches, themselves, aren't giving up without a strong fight, however. Several individual groups have banded together to fight the issue. They've circulated "propaganda" among fellow coaches and several groups have gone to the trouble of mailing letters to every principal and superintendent in the state soliciting their aid in restoring Spring football.

A Toledo member of the state legislature has threatened to introduce a bill to the next session of the General Assembly to make public the vote of each individual in such controversies as these. It's a point-blank threat that a legis-

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MIKE PEDBEREZNAK, above, has run 21,000 miles, virtually around the world, in 21 years and all of his running has been done at the West Side Y. M. C. A. in New York. It's all part of keeping in trim, says Mike. (International)

THREE COUNTY FIVES TO PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT

At least three Pickaway county cage teams will be in action Friday night, while others are taking a rest, enforced by road conditions.

Ashville's undefeated team will travel to Columbus to meet Central, always one of the leading teams in the capital.

In the county Pickaway and Walnut will play at Walnut.

Some of the other games have been postponed while no announcement has been received from other schools.

Definitely postponed are Circleville at Wilmington; Saltcreek and Washington at Circleville and Monroe at Atlanta.

Investigation of scholastic athletics will be forthcoming unless Spring practice is again allowed.

One prominent Ohio scholastic athletic official has the best and easiest solution:

"Why not return to the system in effect before the ban was placed on Spring football? Let the schools practice in the Spring if they want it that way. And those who don't want to can start to practice a couple of weeks earlier in the Fall."

FISH LICENSES MAY BE BOOSTED

Conservation Council In
Favor Of Raising
Price To \$1

Legislation increasing the fishing license fee in Ohio from 50 cents to one dollar will be sought when the General Assembly convenes in January, the advisory council of the Ohio Conservation Commission announced today.

The recommendation was adopted by the council after proponents of the plan pointed out that doubling the fee would require fishermen to bear a more equitable share of the cost of operating the state conservation division. Hunting licenses, which now constitute the principal source of income, cost \$1.

Conservation officials pointed out that as much money is spent for the benefit of fishermen as for the hunters.

Last year, resident fishing licenses brought \$289,929 to the department while hunting licenses returned \$489,847 in fees.

LT. EUGENE HARBRECHT TO PLAY WITH FLIERS

Lt. Eugene Harbrecht of Plymouth, Wis., a member of the Wisconsin University basketball team which won the Big Ten championship in 1940-41, will be in the lineup of the Lockbourne Fliers when they face Capital University at Loy gymnasium Saturday night.

Lt. Harbrecht came to Lockbourne a few days ago to take a course of instruction in the Flying Fortress and saw part time service against Ohio U. Tuesday night.

The ex-Wisconsin basketball player is in top form as yet but Lt. Arnold A. Jacoby, Fliers' coach, is determined to snap the soldiers out of their four-game losing streak and hopes that Harbrecht's experience will be the tonic needed.

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DARK HORSE SETS PACE IN COAST GOLF TOURNEY

RICHMOND, Cal., Dec. 15—Dark horse Jimmy Walkup of San Antonio, Tex., led a field of 108 contenders into the second round of the \$7,500 Richmond open today on the Richmond golf club course.

Coming up with a surprise 3-under-par 68 in the first round of the 72-hole tourney yesterday, the 32-year-old Texan who has been a pro for only four years, gained a two-stroke lead on his nearest contenders.

Only four others were able to give old man par a beating on the long and windy Richmond course. Two strokes behind Walkup with one-under par 70's were: Sam Snead, Hot Springs, Va.; Chuck Condon, Tacoma, Wash.; Mike Turnesa, White Plains, N. Y.; and Ky Laffoon, Chicago.

FESLER SIGNS AS CAGE COACH AT PRINCETON

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 15—Wesley E. Fesler, all-American football end at Ohio State university in 1929 and 1930 as well as a star in baseball and basketball, today signed as head basketball coach of Princeton University, effective Feb. 1.

Fesler, officials said, also will assist Charley Caldwell in football and baseball. Fesler was end coach in football and head basketball coach at Harvard from 1933 to 1941 and since then has been head

SUPER BOMBERS, RAMBLERS SET FOR BOND BOWL

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Both the undefeated-untied Randolph Field Ramblers and the thrice-whipped Second Air Force Superbombers put the finishing touches on their pre-game festivities today in preparation for Saturday's "Bond Bowl" session at the Polo grounds which will decide the service championship.

Both went through extensive workouts Thursday, although the Superbombers, of Denver, were somewhat weary from their long train ride from Atlanta to New York. Enroute from Georgia, where they were beaten last Saturday, the Superbombers were delayed 10 hours by a train wreck and passed 20 hours without rations.

They arrived in New York Wednesday night, 31 hours out of Atlanta. The Texans pulled in Wednesday also, but they came by air from their home base. The game will net the treasury more than \$79,000,000 worth of war bonds, since the whole venture already has been underwritten.

GRECO IS FAVORITE

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Johnny Greco, Montreal welterweight boxer, is an 8 to 5 choice today to repeat against Bobby Ruffin, colorful New Yorker, in their ten-round return bout tonight at Madison Square Garden.

Football coach at Connecticut Wesleyan.

ASHVILLE

A good attendance was reported at the meeting of the Knights of Pythias Wednesday evening. Walter L. Harris received the Knight Rank, and C. B. Morrison and Ben B. Morrison were elected to membership by re-instatement. Applications for a new class to be initiated in January were received. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Chancellor Commander, Charles W. Fortner; vice chancellor, Lawrence W. Fuller; prelate, Frank Tedrow; master of work, Claude D. Kraft; keeper of records and seals, James R. Hoover; master of exchequer, Everett W. Seeds; master of arms, L. Hewitt Cromley; master of finance, Don Nance; inner guard, Robert Mallory; outer guard, Charles Pettibone; trustee, Ludwig Oesterle; lodge deputy, Volley H. Prushing. After the meeting, a lunch was served by the committee in charge.

The December meeting of the Ashville P.-T. A. was cancelled because of the bad weather.

On Sunday evening in the school auditorium at 8:00 o'clock, the Ashville High Music Department will present a Christmas program under the direction of Mrs. Grace Kiger and Fred E. Brobst.

The program will consist of a cantata, a carol sing, and numbers by the double sextette, mixed chorus, and the orchestra. This will be a worthwhile program and the public is urged to attend.

Because of the inclement weather, the Ashville schools were closed Wednesday, but re-opened Thursday with about one-fifth of the pupils absent.

Ashville High's undefeated basketball team plays at Columbus Central Friday evening with both the reserves and the varsity in action. This promises to be one of the outstanding games on the local schedule.

I haven't heard much talk lately about the "good, old-fashioned winter weather we used to have." With our highways drifted with snow and covered with ice to the point where several local farmers are unable to get to town, most of us have all the winter we want. Harry Brown seems to be best prepared for the weather with his sleigh, sleigh bells, and faithful "Dobbin" to drive. Most of the town youngsters gathered at the Morrison Hill Wednesday to celebrate their holiday with a coasting party, while several built snow forts and engaged in an old-fashioned snow ball fight. So maybe our winters haven't become so tame with the passing of the years after all.

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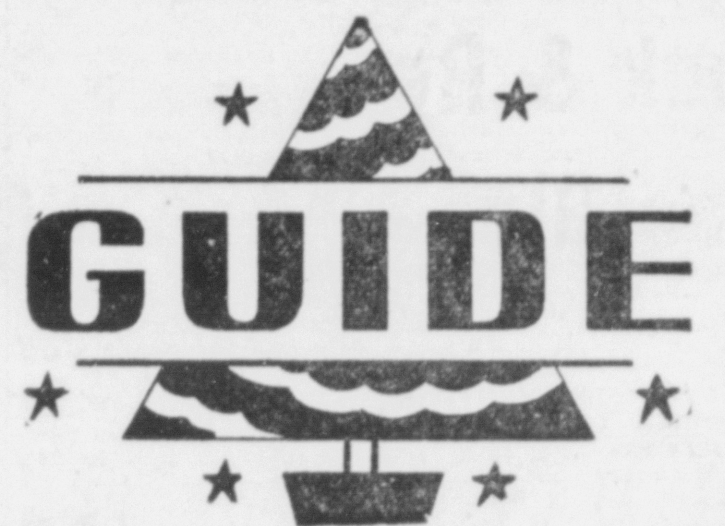


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NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hilyard, of North Court street, have received word from their son, David C. Hilyard, that he has arrived safely in England. Prior to going overseas, he was stationed at Chester College, New York, with an A.S.T.P. unit. When the A.S.T.P. program was abandoned, he was sent to Camp Shelby, Miss., and placed in a medical detachment. He will have completed two years of military service in January. His address is: Pfc. David C. Hilyard, ASN 35424435, APO 17809, c-o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. He will have a birthday anniversary January 9. His complete address may be secured from his parents.

Arthur C. Barr, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barr, 146 Town street, has made a new rating the past week, he also has a change in address: Arthur C. Barr, AOM 1/c

Petty Officer, C. A. S. U-25 U. F. Ordnance, c-o Fleet Postoffice, New York, N. Y.

Private Joe Hedges, who has just completed his basic training in the Engineers Division, at Fort Lewis, Washington, has been transferred to Tacoma, Wash., where he will get 12 weeks schooling as a machinist. Joe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hedges, Ashville. His new address is: Pvt. Joe H. Hedges, ASN 35885094, Barracks 8017, Provisional Co. A, Mt. Rainier Ordnance Depot, Tacoma, Wash.

Mrs. Stella Spangler, Watt street, has been informed by her daughter, Mrs. Thomas C. Hughes, of Columbus, the former Clara Belle Spangler, that her husband, 1st Lieutenant Thomas C. Hughes, has been awarded the Air Medal and an Oak Leaf cluster for it. The

citation for the cluster for the previously awarded Air Medal reads as follows: "For meritorious achievement while participating in heavy bombardment against the enemy over Continental Europe. The courage, coolness and skill, displayed by this officer upon these occasions reflect great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States." Recently this officer was in an airplane that had to leave formation when an engine went out, and the plane continued to Germany alone and staged a one-airplane war, picking a target and dropping its bomb load. It is thought that the citation and cluster was awarded because of this action.

New address of Donald M. Sowers, son of Mrs. Emma F. Betts, East Main street is: Donald M. Sowers, PhM 2/c, U. S. S. L. S. T-941, c-o Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, Calif.

Corporal Norman R. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Anderson, of East Mound street, has written his parents that he has been named circulation manager of his camp paper, The Mosquito Bulletin. He told them also that he had left New Guinea with his company and did not know his desti-

nation. He will have a birthday anniversary January 8 and would appreciate cards from his friends. His address is: ASN 35219602, Hdq. Btry, 756 F. A., APO 322, c-o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

New address of Harry J. Clifton, son of Mrs. Harry Clifton, Pinckney street is: Pfc. Harry J. Clifton, ASN 35224578, APO 96, c-o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

New address of Lawrence Lagore, S 2/c, is: 951-41-50, Bed. 204, Treasure Island, San Francisco, Calif. Private Clarence Lagore has this as his new address: ASN 15011265, Walter Reed General Hospital, Ward 17, Washington 12, D. C.

Dr. David S. Goldschmidt has been a full lieutenant as of December 1. He is in Aviation Ordnance and is a project engineer in the fire control department of the armament test unit of the Patuxent River Naval Air Station, Patuxent River, Md., which station is one of the Navy's largest. Mrs. Goldschmidt and their twin daughters, are living at Patuxent River, and are planning to be in Circleville for a brief visit during the holidays, probably New Year's Eve.

NAVY SEEKING MEN 17 TO 38 FOR RADAR WORK

Men 17 to 38 are needed by the Navy for training in "Radar." Commander L. E. Oehring, officer in charge of the Navy recruiting station in Chillicothe has announced that a special Radio Technicians room has been established in the Navy recruiting station to administer the "Eddy Test", a general qualification test which an applicant must pass before being admitted to the "Radar" training course.

All men between 17 and 38 are eligible to take the "Eddy Test" whether they be volunteers or candidates for induction. Successful applicants will be assigned for training as radio technicians.

While a technical background is not necessary to qualify, a knowledge of high school mathematics and physics is essential. All men having these qualifications are urged to contact their nearest Navy recruiting station to learn full details as to the opportunities and advantages which can be theirs as a "radio technician" in the Navy.

ROTARIANS HEAR TALK ON INCOME TAX LAWS

Income tax laws were explained to members of Rotary Club Thursday by Attorney Justin Sillman, Columbus, at the regular meeting held in Pickaway Arms.

The speaker went into details of the methods of filing and explained the various forms used in making out returns. He stated the withholding tax for 1945 has been changed, the new schedule benefiting lower income groups while in the higher groups more taxes will be paid.

INVENTORY FILED

Inventory filed in probate court in the estate of Georgia Ward lists assets of \$5,493.62, of which \$5,042 is real estate. Appraisers were John B. Keller, Turney Krimmel and Newell Stevenson.

ALL METHODISTS URGED TO BACK CHRIST CRUSADE

All members of First Methodist church are being asked by the pastor, the Rev. Clarence Swearingen, and his local council, to support the Crusade for Christ program, scheduled for 2:30 p. m. Sunday.

The local goal is \$2,111.75. Members will be participating with 8,000,000 Methodists in a campaign to raise \$25,000,00 for world relief and reconstruction after the war.

At Sunday's program the Crusade will be explained by several speakers.

At this service the First Methodist choir will sing the Hallelujah chorus from the Messiah by Handel. Mrs. Harold Deffenbaugh will sing "O Thou Afflicted." Miss

Caroline Sites will direct the choir, and Hunter Chambers will furnish the organ accompaniment.

Members of the local crusade council who will direct the drive which will begin January 1, include: H. B. Colwell, Dan McClain, Dr. W. L. Sprouse, W. E. Hilyard, Dwight Steele, Mrs. Donald Henry, Mrs. George H. Adkins, Mrs. N. E. Reichelderfer, Mrs. Harold Pontius.



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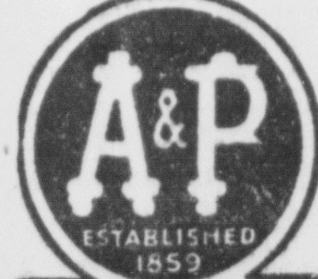
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TWO FRESH COWS. One registered Guernsey bull. Frank Boysel, Rt. 2, Circleville, O.

SQUARE PIANO, good condition, \$25. Harry E. Weil, 129 E. High St.

32x6 H. D. TUBES, 900x20 H. D. Tubes; pre-war tubes. We have 600x16; 650x16; 650x17. Pettit's.

ELECTRIC RADIOS, dressers, dining room suites. 410 S. Pickaway St.

WINDMILL—30 ft. tower, 10 ft. wheel. Good running order. See Luther A. Ruff.

COAL—Hawk's best lump, \$6.75 delivered promptly. 6 or 7 ton lots. Clifford Hawk, Carbon Hill, Ohio. Phone 1139-J-4.

CHRISTMAS TREES, all sizes. 558 E. Mound. Mrs. Wm. Fricke.

HOOVER'S Turkey Farm. Turkeys alive or dressed. Phone 1637.

PLENTY DOLLS, all sizes at Gards.

CHRISTMAS TREES. Lewis Kuhn, 507 S. Scioto St.

FOR CHRISTMAS
Why not give the family Summer comfort throughout the Winter months by installing Storm King Combination Windows and Rock Wool Insulation. Be patriotic. Save that hard to get fuel. All work guaranteed. Three years to pay. Call

KOCHHEISER HDWE. CO.
Phone 100

For Health Sake, Insulate

STOCK TANK heaters at Kochheiser Hardware Co.

CABINETS; SINKS; electric and gas water heaters; electric clocks; baby buggies; mop buckets; mechanics' tool boxes; 5-10 gal. cream cans; work gloves all kinds. Visit our toy department for a complete line of toys. Use our lay-away plan.

HARPSTER & YOST HARDWARE

We Now Have In Stock
New Structural Steel, I Beam, Channels, Angles, Rounds, Flats, Reinforcing Bars

CINCINNATI IRON & METAL COMPANY
Phone No. 3

112 RATS killed with Schutte Rat Killer. Harpster & Yost.

SAVE FUEL this Winter with Johns-Manville Rock Wool Insulation. Ask for estimate on cost. Phone 269. Circleville Lumber Co.

MUFFLERS for Ford A, Ford V-8 60-85 H. P., Chevrolet, Plymouth, Dodge. Also used and rebuilt generators for most cars. Circleville Iron & Metal Co. Phone 3.

GOODRICH SILVERTOWN TIRES
Truck and Passenger

O. P. A. Certificate Required
Also Fast Recapping Service

A. & H. TIRE CO.
N. Scioto — Phone 246

LOTS OF DESIRABLE toys for girls and boys at Gards.

CHRISTMAS TOYS — Rocking chairs, doll beds, cradles and buggies; small straight chairs; straddle horses. Use our convenient lay away plan. R. & R. Furniture Co.

Lost

HEREFORD HEIFER, about 750 lbs. Phone 1520. Reward.

Christmas SHOPPING

THE R. & R. FURNITURE store has a pile of gifts for the children. We noted some decorated tables for the tiny housekeeper. All finished and ready for the afternoon tea party. Miniature chairs for the tiny guests. They are in numerous sizes and shapes, priced to suit even the conservative buyer. See these before you finish your Christmas shopping.

WINE with the meal helps make the holidays—Wine brings to the table a kindly good cheer. These days, that's helpful. You'll find that wine goes well with almost any warm dish you wish to serve. Enjoy it at the table—use it in your holiday cooking—it works miracles with food flavoring—Son's Grill has a supply of good wines.

PETTIT'S store has an answer to your gift problem. During the past year they have added many new lines to their already full store of gifts. Everything in the store is bright and clever—the modern glassware, amusing and decorative wall decorations and the gay figurines. They even have a few glass coffee makers. Dainty little dishes in Imperial glassware, vases in Rosewood pottery, bakeware and many other articles in glass oven ware.

HER EYES will gleam to the glow of pearls, the gift of enduring beauty. One, two and three strand chokers that capture the splendor of the Orient. The L. M. Butch company, jewelers, have them priced from \$7 to \$48.50. One particularly beautiful single strand, we saw had a sterling clasp and was priced at \$20. Make this your leading lady's most memorable Christmas—present her with pearls.

THINGS TO GIVE to the home maker are to be found in abundance at the Kochheiser hardware store. None of them will be done up in Christmas packages but they will be mighty appreciated just the same. Handy nests of bowls, cute little individual bakeware with handles that make hot dishes so easy to serve, rolling pins, meat and food choppers, potters tea pots and many similar gifts that go to make a real homey old fashioned Christmas.

HARPSTER AND YOST hardware store is the place to select your gifts for the small fry. They have secured the store room formerly occupied by the Mader Gift store for their arrangement of toys. Here you will find the most complete assortment of toys in Pickaway county. Footballs, wagons, wheelbarrows, small garden tools, tool chests, guns, hunting equipment, any other things that regular guys will want old St. Nick to bring them. Dolls, buggies, sewing baskets, dishes, miniature household furniture, games, pianos and other musical instruments for the girls.

ALL THE TIKES and tots will want games for Christmas. The W. T. Grant store has a complete line of games that will amuse during the Holidays and long after they are over. Some of them will entertain mother and dad too. Be sure to see the collection before you select your games for the children. Don't expect mechanical games, however, as they have all gone to war. The collection consists of war-time games.

IT IS ALWAYS difficult to find an appropriate gift for the shut-in or the invalid. The persons to whom Christmas may mean nothing if their friends neglect them may be remembered by a gift of fruit. The Clarence Wolf grocery has a complete line of all fresh seasonal fruits and will be glad to help select and fill a gift basket or box.

NO HOUSEKEEPER ever had too many small throw rugs. Therefore a gift of one of these would always please. The pretty rag rugs our grandparents used are now coming back to their own and mothers of small children find them a boon to good housekeeping. They are easily washed and very inexpensive. See them and others at Griffith and Martin.

SUGAR AND SPICE and everything nice goes into the making of the fruit cakes that are for sale this year at Wallace's Bakery. They are made in one, two and three pound cakes. Daintily wrapped they make delightful gifts. Ingredients for these cakes are now difficult to get for the home maker so leave your order for your cakes early. They are priced 75c, \$1.50 and \$2.25.

FOR THE TOP MAN on your list go to the Caddy Miller Hat shop to select his gift. This is truly a man shop and has been for the past five generations. Many of your great grandfathers selected their gifts from these same shelves. The store specializes in nationally advertised and hi-grade men's clothing. For many years past a gift certificate for a Stetson hat has occupied the place of honor on the Christmas tree. It would be doubly appropriate for this war-time Christmas.

CLOSING-OUT

PUBLIC SALE

Having rented my farm, I will hold a complete closing out sale, 1 mile south of Derby, 6 miles north of Darbyville, on my farm known as the Shockley farm, on

Tuesday, December 19

Beginning at 1:30 o'clock, prompt.

2 — HEAD OF HORSES — 2

Two sorrel horses coming 6 yrs. old, wt. team 3400, good workers.

42 — HEAD OF CATTLE — 42

19 milk cows ranging in age from 3 to 8 yrs. old, some fresh and some to freshen soon. All milk cows Bangs tested and approved Nov. 28, 1944; 9 Whiteface heifers to freshen in May, bred to registered Shorthorn bull; 14 Whiteface calves ranging in weight from 200 to 500 lbs.

75 — HOGS AND SHEEP — 75

Three Hampshire sows with 6 weeks old pigs by side; 27 pigs with 3 sows; 2 Hampshire sows to farrow last of December; 1 Hampshire sow, bred; 1 purebred Poland China male hog, 18 months old; 22 shoats, wt. from 80 to 140 lbs.

18 head good ewes ranging in age from 3 to 5 years; 1 Cheviot buck, 3 yrs. old.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

One Model A John Deere tractor in A-1 condition; 1 Model B John Deere tractor with corn plows; 1 John Deere No. 52 2-bottom tractor plow; 1 John Deere 12x7 power lift tractor grain drill; 1 John Deere No. 5 7-ft. tractor power mower, will fit any tractor; 1 John Deere D. A. 7-ft. disc harrow; 1 John Deere side delivery rake with tractor hitch; 1 John Deere 8-ft. grain binder in good shape; 1 John Deere No. 999 corn planter with tongue fertilizer attachment and 120 rod wire, good as new; 1 John Deere 2-row rotary hoe; 1 John Deere 12-ft. sweep or buck rake, will fit John Deere A or B tractor; 2 rubber tired wagons with flat beds in good condition; 1 low wheeled feed wagon good as new; 1 John Deere low wheeled wagon with box bed; 1 Milburn wagon with hay ladders; 1 John Deere one-row horse cultivator; 1 John Deere 5 shovel plow; 14-in. walking plow; 1 John Deere sulky hay rake; 3 good feed sleds; set of pre-war handmade breaching harness; 3 horse collars; 6 hog boxes on runners; 1 buzz saw; 1 feed basket; 2 scoop shovels; 5 pitch forks; 6 ten-gallon milk cans; 1 milk strainer; 1 small wood stove; 50-gal. butchering kettle and other articles not mentioned.

FEED—1500 bales of good mixed hay; 300 bales good wheat straw.

TERMS—CASH

Floyd Mouser

Bumgarner and Ferguson, auctioneer, Ivan Hill and Harve Wardel, clerks.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
Estate of Margaret M. Owens, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that Florence V. Dowden, whose Post Office address is Circleville, Ohio, R. 2, has been duly appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Margaret M. Owens, late of Pickaway County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 28th day of November, 1944.
LEONEL B. WILSON, Judge of the Probate Court Pickaway County, Ohio.
Dec. 1, 8, 15.

REPAIR RECORD SET

HQ AIR SERVICE COMMAND.
"Somewhere in England."—A new record was set up by an Air Service Command instrument shop last month when it repaired over 30,000 precision aircraft instruments. Credit for this amazing production went to ingenious officers and enlisted men who devised short cuts in the repair of electrical, gyro, and mechanical instruments. Several of the men have been recommended for the U. S. Legion of Merit.

CLOSING-OUT PUBLIC SALE

On the Brock road (formerly the Woods pike), two miles northwest of Yatesville, four miles south of Sedalia.

Monday, December 18
Starting at 12 o'clock.

5 — HEAD OF HORSES — 5
One team gray mares; 1 bay mare; 1 black colt; 1 bay mare, saddle bred.

36 — HEAD OF CATTLE — 36
12 milk cows, Jerseys and Shorthorns, three with calves by side; 20 steer and heifer calves; 1 Hereford bull.

58 — SHEEP AND HOGS — 58
Five young sows with 25 pigs; 1 gilt; 1 spotted boar.
20 head of open wool ewes; 3 Shropshire bucks.

A large line of farm implements including 1 Farmall tractor on steel.

HAY AND STRAW — 3 tons mixed hay in mow; 50 bales timothy hay; 100 bales straw; 200 shocks corn in first field east of Yatesville.

POULTRY — 50 White Wyandotte hens and pullets.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH

E. W. Durlinger

Lunch by the W. S. C. S. of Union Chapel.
W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

CLOSING-OUT PUBLIC SALE

On the Elmer Rowe farm, on the Bunker Hill road, one and one-half miles west of Staunton, 7 miles southwest of Washington Court House, and 6 miles southeast of Sabina.

Wednesday, Dec. 20
(11:00 A. M.)

ONE TEAM OF EXTRA GOOD HORSES

Well mated mare and gelding, 10 years old.

10 — COWS AND CALVES — 10
55 — HOGS AND SHEEP — 55
20 feeding hogs, weight about 80 lbs.; 20 Fall pigs; 14 good open wool ewes and one buck.

A general line of farm implements including a Ford tractor on rubber, complete with two bottom plows and cultivators; one Ford pulley; one John Deere corn planter with tongue truck, check wire and fertilizer attachment; one Van Brunt grain drill with tractor hitch, in fine condition; one wheat binder; one tractor disc, the same as new and one cultipacker; harness, etc.

FEED—1500 bales of good mixed hay; 40 bales of good wheat straw; 300 to 400 bushels of corn, more or less, in the crib; 50 shocks of fodder.

POULTRY AND EQUIPMENT—
50 White Rock hens; one oil brooder stove, etc.

Some household goods and a Maytag motor.

TERMS—CASH

LENA BANDY

Lunch served by ladies of Staunton church.
Walter Bumgarner, auctioneer.
Maryon Mark, clerk.

Public Sales

No charge for publication of sales under this heading where regular advertising has been ordered in The Herald. Set your date early and get the benefit of this extra publication.

SATURDAY, Dec. 16.
At residence of Whistler, Mrs. Anna Walters, C. G. Chaffin, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, Dec. 16.
At residence three miles south of Grovesport, seven miles southwest of Canal Winchester, about six miles west of Lithopolis on the Braun Road, beginning at 12 noon, John McCollister, C. G. Ferguson, auctioneer.

MONDAY, Dec. 18.
On the Brock road, formerly the Woods Pike, two miles northwest of Yatesville, four miles south of Sedalia, beginning at 12 E. W. Durlinger, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

MONDAY, Dec. 18.
At the door of the Court House in Circleville, Ohio, beginning at 2 o'clock, Ray W. Davis, administrator of estate of Faye M. Cremins.

TUESDAY, Dec. 19.
At residence of late Margaret M. Owens, located five miles west of Circleville, beginning at 12:30, Florence O. Dowden, administratrix, C. G. Chaffin, auctioneer.

TUESDAY, Dec. 19.
One mile south of Derby, six miles north of Darbyville, beginning at 1:30, Floyd Mouser, Bumgarner and Ferguson, auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 20.
On the Elmer Rowe farm on the Bunker Hill road, one and one-half miles west of Staunton, seven miles southwest of Washington Court House, and six miles southeast of Sabina, beginning at 11 a. m. Lena Bandy, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

Notice of Public Sale

In pursuance to the order of the Probate Court of Pickaway County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public sale on the 15th day of December, 1944, at 2 o'clock p. m. at the door of the Court House, Circleville, Ohio, the following described real estate situated in the County of Pickaway, State of Ohio and in the Township of Scioto, to-wit:

Being a part of Richard C. Anderson's Survey No. 2446. Beginning at a stake in the center of the Bloomfield and Darbyville Turnpike at the west end of the bridge crossing the Scioto River, and known as the Bloomfield Bridge, thence with the center of said Turnpike N. 88 1/2° W. 11 poles; thence N. 83 1/2° W. 37 1/2 poles; thence W. 62 1/2° W. 80 4/5 poles to a stake in the center of said Turnpike at its junction with the Genoa Turnpike; thence with the center of said Genoa Turnpike N. 14° W. 31 2/5 poles to a stake in the center of the Scioto River; thence with said River as it means, thence S. 20° E. 22 poles S. 29° W. 26 poles S. 85° W. 24 poles S. 70° W. 56 poles E. 42° W. 72 poles S. 28° W. 22 poles S. 9° W. 16 poles to an elm an original corner; thence S. 7° West to the place of beginning, containing 97 acres of land, more or less.

Said premises are appraised at Five Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty and no/100 Dollars (\$5,820.00) and must be sold for not less than two-thirds (2/3) of the appraised value.

Terms of Sale: Ten per cent (10%) of purchase price on day of sale; balance on delivery of deed.

Ray W. Davis,

Administrator, d. b. n. of the Estate of Faye M. Cremins, deceased.

STOUTSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cook and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cook and family, of Williamsport.

Miss Martha Drake, of Columbus, was the Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Drake.

Miss Marvene Reichelderfer, Columbus, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Reichelderfer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Greeno and Miss Ora Kocher were business visitors in Columbus Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Starling Drum and daughter, Roseand, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ort Drum, of near Amanda, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Duff, of Columbus, called on friends here Friday and Saturday.

Earl Courtright, of Lancaster, spent from Wednesday until Saturday with Miss Ora Kocher.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Creager and daughter, Linda, of Columbus, was the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Creager.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Miesse spent Sunday with their son, Glenn Miesse and family, of Columbus.

Mrs. Carrie Kilbarger has returned home after a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Roy Harden.

Miss Jeannette Wenrich was a Columbus visitor Sunday night.

Mrs. Russell Creager visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Creager and daughter, Linda Creager, in Columbus.

Mrs. C. A. Thomas, Mrs. K. A. Gearhart, Mrs. V. V. Courtright and Miss Blanche Meyers were business visitors in Lancaster Thursday morning.

Miss Miriam Inler, of Columbus, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Inler.

TILLIE THE TOILER



By WESTOVER

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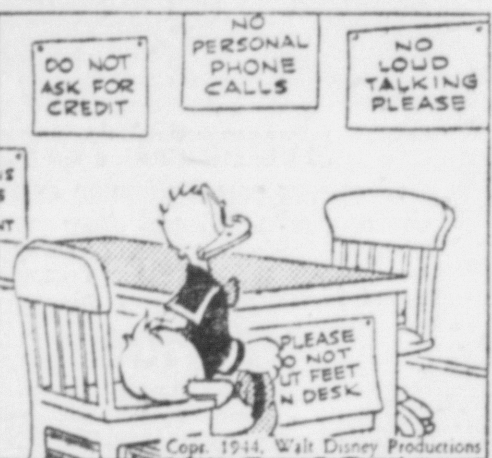
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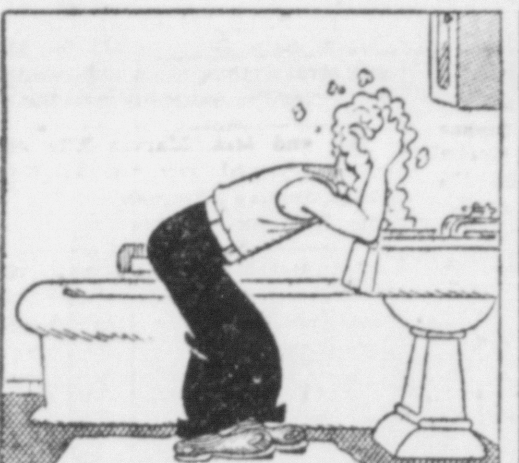
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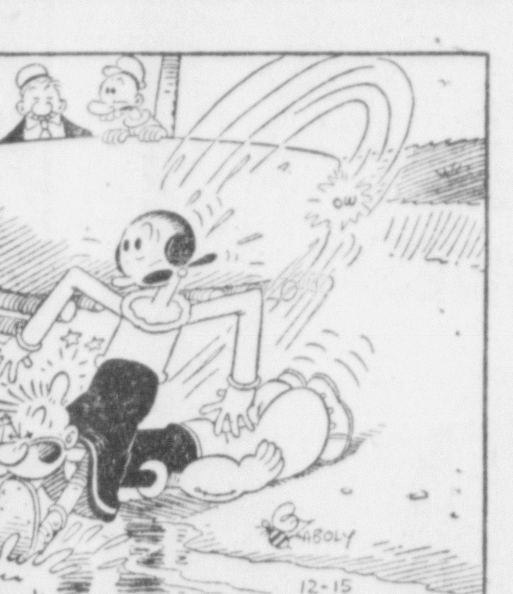
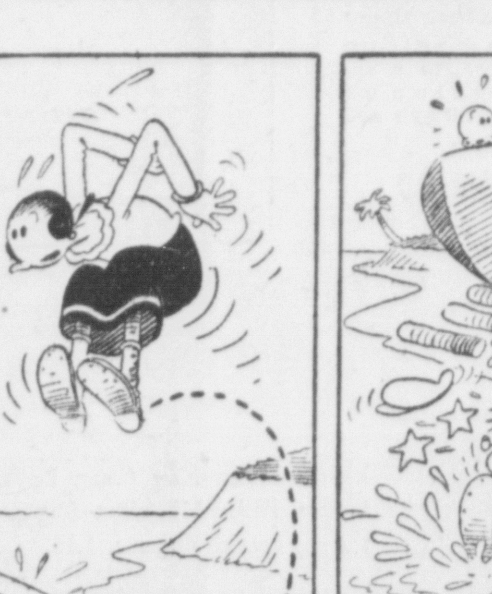
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ROOM AND BOARD

By GENE AHERN



Gene Ahern 12-15

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

ACROSS	44. 365 days	20. Location
1. Monkey	21. Injure	
2. Portion	22. Fish	
3. Burdened	23. Pale	
4. Pungent	24. Frotings	
5. vegetable	25. Reverberate	
6. A catkin	26. The social order	
7. Custom	27. Expression	
8. Garden tool	28. Handle	
9. Sodium (sym.)	29. Narrow inlet	
10. Gallium (sym.)	30. Flowers	
11. Expression	31. Guide	
12. Bend the head	32. Elongated fishes	
13. Varying weight (Ind.)	33. Nimble	
14. Cry of a goose	34. Infrequent	
15. Telegraph		
16. Sultan's decree		
17. Sylvan deity		
18. Cover with wax		
19. Sharpen, as a razor		
20. Doctrine		
21. Fabulous bird		
22. Selenium (sym.)		
23. Negative reply		
24. Therefore		
25. Angry		
26. Swallows quickly		
27. Artist's stand		
28. Sleep noisily		
29. Woody perennials		
30. Periods of time		

Yesterday's Answer
37. On the ocean
39. Larva of eye-threadworm

NOAH NUMSKULL

COME OUT—YOU WORM!

DEAR NOAH— SHOULD AN APPLE KNOCKER TURN IN ALL THE NORTHERN SPIES TO THE FBI? MISS MARY CUSTER FROSTBURG, MD.

DEAR NOAH— IF LOUD BED TICKING DISTURBS YOUR SLEEP, WOULD YOU SUGGEST WEARING EAR MUFFS? ELLA M. MOON CORONADO, CALIF.

Send your nominations to "NOAH" at the Herald.

12-15

Wife Preservers



12-15

BUY WAR BONDS

LISTEN!

TONIGHT

5:00 NEWS
5:15 Lynn Murray
5:30 Doris Lee
5:45 THE WORLD TODAY
5:55 JOSEPH C. HARSCH
6:00 JIM COOPER, NEWS
6:15 Raymond Scott
6:30 Friday on Broadway
6:40 The Aldrich Family
7:00 The Thin Man
7:15 BILL HENRY, NEWS
7:30 It Pays to be Ignorant
7:45 That Brewster Boy
8:00 Stage Door Canteen
8:15 Love A Mystery
8:30 Johnny Jones
8:45 JIM COOPER, NEWS
8:55 Double-13 Nite Club
9:00 NEWS
9:15 Toronto Calling
9:30 Johnny Long Orchestra
9:45 NEWS
10:05 When Day is Done
10:20 Lenny Conn Orchestra

SATURDAY A. M.

6:00 The Farm Hour
6:45 Staff Orchestra
7:15 Pat McGuire
7:30 JIM COOPER, NEWS
7:45 Early Worm
8:00 NEWS OF THE WORLD
8:15 Early Worm
8:45 Early Worm & News
9:00 Adventures of Omar
9:30 Mary Lee Taylor
10:00 NEWS
10:15 Let's Pretend
10:30 Billie Burke Show
11:00 Theatre of Today
11:30 Stars Over Hollywood

SATURDAY P. M.

12:00 Grand Central Station
12:30 JIM COOPER, NEWS
12:45 Round Robin Review
1:00 At the Console
1:15 How's The Patient
1:30 Carolina Hayride
2:00 TBA
2:30 Shenandoah Place
3:00 Report from Washington
3:15 Report from Overseas
3:30 Assignment Home
4:00 Philadelphia Orchestra

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT

WOMEN ARE AS WELL ADAPTED TO SWIMMING AS MEN

SOUTH SEA ISLAND NATIVES USE SPEARS AND ARROWS THAT HAVE BEEN BEATEN FROM CANNON LEFT BY THE PORTUGUESE IN THE 17TH CENTURY

NIAGARA FALLS GOT ITS START AS A HONEYMOON RESORT WHEN JEROME BONAPARTE, BROTHER OF THE GREAT NAPOLEON, TOOK HIS BRIDE THERE AFTER THEIR WEDDING ON DECEMBER 24TH, 1803

SCRAP

GEORGIA

CAN YOU NAME THE LARGEST STATE EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI? GEORGIA

eleven-year-old actor is also wearing a medical discharge pin!

Bob Hawk says that even in these days of rationing you can still get a stake in this country by buying bonds.

Lou Childre, formerly a regular member of the "Grand Ole Opry" company, returns with an appropriate novelty song, "It's Been a Long Time," when he appears as Roy Acuff's guest star on the "Grand Ole Opry," Saturday.

Berry Kroeger's appearance on "Grand Central Station," Saturday, December 23, will be his last radio commitment for a while. Kroeger, now rehearsing for "The Tempest," departs for Philadelphia shortly for the play's out-of-town pre-Broadway run.

Ray Collins, who'll co-star with Orson Welles in "The Plot to Overthrow Christmas" on "This Is My Best," Tuesday, became an actor in spite of his father, a newspaper dramatic critic. Collins, Senior, broke up Ray's first show, a backyard affair, without resorting to the usual critic's approach of writing nasty notices. A few years later, however, the elder Collins gave up objecting to his son's ambition when Ray's acting was abetted by fellow drama writers.

With the election over, Zadok Dumkopf has reverted to arguing about football teams.

Teachers, according to Factographs, live longer than folk in most other professions. Must be all those gift apples.

The man at the next desk says it's almost two weeks now since he spent an evening listening to radio speakers saying: "I quote."

The plastic bean shooter has put in its appearance. Couldn't this have better waited for the post-war period?

The second highest mountain in the world has no name. We get it, just too big for words!

You're Telling Me!

On The Air

FRIDAY

6:00 News, WBNS and WHKC
6:30 Broadway, WBNS: Lone Ranger, WHKC
7:00 Aldrich Family, WBNS: Concert Hour, WLW
7:30 Thin Man, WBNS: Duffy's Tavern, WLW
8:00 Waltz Time, WLW: Gang Busters, WCOL
8:30 News, WBNS and WLW
8:45 News, WBNS and WLW
9:00 Moore, Durante, WBNS: Amos 'n' Andy, WLW
9:30 Stage Door, WBNS: Bill Stern, WLW
10:00 Love Mystery, WBNS: Arthur Kelly, WLW
10:30 News, WBNS and WLW
11:00 Dance Orchestra, WBNS: Cliffie Unger, WLW
11:30 Life Beautiful, WBNS: Farm and Home, WOSU
12:30 News, WBNS and WLW

SATURDAY

12:00 Grand Central, WBNS: Man on Farm, WLW
12:30 News, WBNS and WLW
1:00 Melodies, WOSU: How's Patient, WBNS
1:30 Dance Orchestra, WBNS: Roundup, WHKC
2:00 Merry-makers, WLW: Soldiers of Press, WHKC
2:30 Football Scores, WBNS: Calvary Hour, WHKC
3:00 News, WBNS: Melodies, WLW
3:30 America in Air, WBNS: Ellery Queen, WLW
4:00 News, WBNS and WLW
4:30 Inner Sanctum, WBNS: Bob Burns, WLW
5:00 Hi, Ho, WBNS: Barn Dance, WLW
5:30 Top This, WLW: Frank Sinatra, WLW
6:00 Autographs, WCOL: Wood and Kelly, WLW
6:30 Grand Ole Opry, WLW: Man Called X, WCOL
7:00 It Happened There, WLW: Dance Parade, WCOL
7:30 News, WBNS: Jamboree, WLW
8:00 Glen Gray, WBNS: News, WLW

ELMER STILL SEARCHING

Elmer Blurt, radio's low-pressure salesman, continues his search for a place to live, as "Here Comes Elmer," the new Al Pearce comedy series, airs its second broadcast, Saturday.

SPORTS EDITOR GUEST

Frank Graham, sports editor of Look magazine, will submit an expert's analysis of a murder mystery on an ice hockey rink when he is guest armchair detective for Ellery Queen's "Adventure of Death on Skates," Saturday.

BENNY SHOPS

Jack Benny's annual Christmas shopping pilgrimage will take

place on his program Sunday. How Jack and Rochester sally forth to bargain with the clerks and floor walkers, how they wrestle with their Christmas lists, and how Mary, Phil, Don, and Larry help or hinder Jackson in his selections will be broadcast.

KULLMAN IS GUEST

Charles Kullman, leading tenor of the Metropolitan Opera, will be guest star on "The Metropolitan Opera Presents" Sunday. An outstanding young singer will also be heard making his coast-to-coast audition for a Met contract.

RADIO NEWS NOTES

Mary Shipp, is the newest member of the cast of "Two on a Clue" in the role of Jane, secretary to

the dynamic detective, "Jeff Spencer," in the mystery comedy series. The program is heard daily.

"Steve Kirby," portrayed by John Sylvester in "Bright Horizon," is becoming unwittingly involved in black market activities. This exciting story of crime and how the West family copes with this new problem will be told in the ensuing weeks on the 15-minute radio show.

Little Dickie Monahan of the Alan Young comedy show, demonstrates his youthful enthusiasm for his country's military effort by wearing a pair of silver wings, the insignia of a colonel, and a lieutenant's bar. Curiously enough, the

G. B. STEVENSON COUNTY HYBRID CORN CHAMPION

Production Of 113 Bushels
Wins Recognition In
National Contest

A crop of 113.03 bushels an acre won the Pickaway county championship in the 1944 National DeKalb Hybrid corn growing contest, for George Bruce Stevenson, Jackson township farmer, it was announced Friday.

Mr. Stevenson reported this outstanding yield in this locality in a competition in which thousands of farmers from 18 principal corn producing states participated.

Mr. Stevenson and several other farmers in this county produced more than their share of the nation's record crop of 3,258,375-090 bushels of corn in the food front battle. The record yield is several times that of the estimated average yield for the United States of 32.71 bushels.

The Pickaway county winner's corn was grown from hybrid No. 450 and his yield calculated from the best five acre tract of corn on his farm. In recognition of his achievement the winner is being presented with an appropriate plaque by the DeKalb Agricultural Association.

Other big yields were reported by Harry Long, Mt. Sterling, 102-03 bushels an acre and E. S. Burchnell, Mt. Sterling, 92.89 bushels.

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

ONE MINUTE PULPIT
Every man shall bear his own burden. —Galatians 6:5.
Daily Bible Reading, Ephesians 6.

City Solicitor J. W. Adkins was in Philadelphia Friday to attend hearings before the Securities and Exchange commission on the proposal of the Ohio Water Service company to sell stock and reorganize the company.

There will be a 50-50 dance Saturday night from 9 to 12 at the Eagles Home. It is open to the public. —ad.

Dorothy L. Updyke has been re-appointed common pleas court stenographer by Judge Meeker Terwilliger, according to an entry filed Thursday. Miss Updyke was appointed to a two-year term.

We have some unusually fine sprays of oriental balsam for door decoration as well as several other types of evergreen for inside and outside. Brehmer's. —ad.

Officers of farmers institutes to be held in Pickaway county this winter will meet with J. P. Schmidt, state supervisor of farm institutes at 7:30 p. m. Monday in the county agricultural agent's office. Institutes are to be held in Salter Creek township, Tarleton, Walnut township, Monroe township, New Holland and Commercial Point.

The Eagles Club will sponsor a games party at the home on East Main street, Friday night, starting at 8:30. Everyone invited. —ad.

Judge Meeker Terwilliger, who is convalescing at his home on East Main street after an illness of pneumonia, attended the meeting of Rotary Thursday, his first appearance at a club affair in five weeks.

Mrs. Lois Thompson and baby girl were discharged Thursday from Berger hospital and removed to their home, in Wayne township.

Carl Mace, of East Main street, was admitted Thursday night to Berger hospital as a medical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Julian, Haywood avenue, are parents of a daughter born Thursday at 10:20 p. m. at Berger hospital.

Mrs. Rebecca Brown, South Scioto street, has been discharged from Berger hospital, where she was a medical patient, and removed home.

Eugene Neff, Pincney street, treated in Berger hospital for a leg fracture, has been released to his home.

Infant Joe Good, who has been in Berger hospital since birth, was released Thursday and removed to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Good, South Court street.

Mrs. Maxine Lenox, Circleville Route 1, a medical patient in Berger hospital, has been released and removed home.

ELECTION POSTPONED
Election of officers of the Pickaway county Aberdeen-Angus association has been postponed. Absence of some members from the meeting Wednesday night caused the postponement. Premiums for 4-H clubs were distributed at the meeting, held in Betz restaurant. Next meeting of the group is scheduled for January 10.

BUTTS ARE SHORTER
PORTLAND, Ore.—There may be a cigaret shortage, but Portland

street cleaners haven't noticed it. One weary sweeper said, "I pick up just as many butts as I ever did off the streets." He admitted, however, that the butts were much shorter than in previous times.

YANKS ARE GENEROUS
PITTSBURGH — Pvt. Joe Armenti, of Pittsburgh, now serving

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